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# AIDING ANXIOUS ALDERMAN

SALVATIONIST-INTERPRETER WINS COMMENDATION OF MAGISTRATE AND GIVES HIS TESTIMONY IN COURT

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Mr. Inspector!"
"Good morning, sir!"

"I have come to register, this being the nearest polis stayzhu!"

"Ah, yes; you will he Number One on the list!"

Do you catch it? Those words "polis stayzhn" give the clue, and the fact that he had come there to register ought to make it all plain. In case there be any who fail to note the point, let it be stated that war had been declared only a few hours, and the registration of alien ene-. mies was about to commence. The interesting factor in this first enrollment was that the German was garbed in Salvation Army uniform. For twenty years he had lived in this country, and for a good portion of that time he



"I don't mind at all, for I am on holiday just now. If I as be of any service, pray command me!" And the result was that for some days our conrade may be said to have been almost a fixed resident at the police station, and during that time he earned the highest praise from all concerned for the able way in which he put the aliens through their "catechism",—overconing every difficulty by his tactful manner of dealing with the parties on both sides.

At last it was all over, and the Salvationist prepared to vacate the inspector's chair which he had occupied during the proceedings; the police sergeants closed their notebooks, and the forms were filed away for future reference. Then the inspector spoke words of warnest thanks to the man of the Yellow, Red, and Blue, and he concluded thus:—

"May I make one more appeal to your generosity, sir? We have taken up practically all of your holiday, I fear, but if I may, I would like to requisition one more service at your hands!"

"I' will do whatever I can," said the Salvationist.

"Thank you very much. The task is a very interesting one, I think; it is that of interpreter in a case which comes before the court to-morrow. A young German has gone outside the prescribed area without seeking permission, and for this lie has to answer to the authorities."

"I will attend at the court as you request," answered our comrade, an., following hearty handshakes and the (Concluded on Page 6)

Billing !n the Inspector's Chair he tactfully put them through their unwelcome 'Catechian

had been known to the local police as a loyal-Salvationist and peaceful business man. When the forms had been duly filled in, the inspector was struck by an idea.

#### A FIXED RESIDENT

"By the way, sir," said he, "we have some hundreds of German visitors in this locality. Registration will be an askward thing for us unless we can secuse, the aid of a competent interpreter. You know English as perfectly as warr lown language; will you oblige by translating for us when we come to Bill up the Tornes for these people?"

THE WAR CRY

Ah, it touched me before some of

ou were born. My father was a soldier, my mother was a soldier's widow, and I a soldier's orphan. My childhood home was made desolate and a house of tears and

mourning by his untimely death.

He left his little Heaven-of-ahome, his young, adoring wife, and his bonny boy, as your loved one left you, and went away to the bitter Civil War that wasted America for four long, weary years, and filled it with poverty and woe and unutterable grief and lamentation.

Shortly after he left a second baby boy was born to him, but the little life was brief. Jesus took it to wel-come him in the Heavenly Home to which the ernel war soon sent him. and left me to comfort mother. He paid the supreme price for the peace and welfare of his country, and I know what it means to the soldier's

home when that price is paid.

A half-century has gone since those sorrowful days, but through the mists of years I can still see mother's sad, tear-stained face and wistful eyes, and I can still realize something of the wonder and ache in the heart of the soldier's orphan, who waits and waits for father, who will never more return.

So I write as one who understands something of your sorrow, and so may I not write of it, not as yours alone, but as ours?

atone, but as ours?
"Truly this is grief, and I must bear it," said Jeremiah in the midst of sorrows and afflictions which befell him and his country, and these words are appropriate to us this day. We are filled with gricf. Loss and sorrow and trouble are laid upon us. We cannot escape it; we must bear it. But how shall we bear it? Ah,

How can we bear it?

We must not despair. We must not become hardened nor angry with God. He means us no harm. He is afflicted with us in our affliction. Of this I am sure. In this write as one who has passed through sore trials and bitter sorrows.

"Behind a frowning Providence He hides a loving face,
His purposes will ripen fast, unfolding every hour;

The bud may have a hitter taste, But sweet will be the flower."

How, then, shall we bear our First, patiently. Let us not be too eager to understand all this mystery of misery and pain and woe and

"Blind unbelief is sure to err, And scan His work in vain; God is His Own Interpreter, And He will make it plain."

And to this end God takes time. For the present we shall be wise, if we nestle down into His will, humble ourselves under His mighty hand, and give ourselves to prayer, wait-

"Take, my brethren, the prophets who have spoken in the name of the Lord, for an example of suffering affliction, and of patience," says the Apostle James. "Behold, we count them happy which endure. Ye have heard of the patience of Job, and have seen the end of the Lord; that the Lord is very pitiful, and of ten-der mercy." (James 5:10-11.)

We have seen the end of the Lord in the trouble of Job, but we have not yet seen the end of the Lord in our own troubles; but let us wait patiently until God's purposes unfold, and we shall see. We surely

Secondly, We must bear our grief trustingly. Job said: "Though He slay me, yet will I trust Him." We must hold fast our faith, and fight our doubts and fears and resent-"Faith in the night as well as the day," must be our motto. We must rest upon His sure word of promise, that "All things work to-gether for good to them that love God," remembering that whom the Lord loveth He tries and disciplines, and that our sorrow and sufferings are not necessarily tokens of His anger with us, but rather of His

love to us. When John G. Paton, the great Missionary to the cannibals in the lonely islands of the Hebrides, in the far-away Southern Ocean, lost his darling wife, and digged her grave and buried her with his own my heart would have broken."

"If it had not been for Jesus!"
Oh. bless His name! He was "A Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief, and as He was with the lonely Missionary, so He is with us. Let us fiee to Him and tell Him our grief and pain, as did Paton, and we shall find Him touching our wounded hearts, and in His own way and time making them whole again. And lef us fice to Him again and again, as many times in the day as the pain hurts us, until, by the blessed min-istry of His grace and the healing touch of time, the pain is all gone.

Thirdly,-Dare I say it?-Let us endeavour to bear our grief with thanksgiving. We have so much light thrown upon the problem of suffering in the Scriptures that we can dare to rise even to the heights of thankfulness in the midst of our sorrow, "if we will but believe,

Job's pain and anguish in the loss of his darling children—his lovely collapse of his prosperity, in the loss of all his property, in the backsliding sickness, in the suspicions and reproaches of his friends, were aggravated by the lack of a revelation, such as we have as to God's purnoses in pain and loss and sorrow; but we have the completed Bible with the record of how God brough Job out of all his distresses, and gave him double of what he had hefore, and we know that for three milleniums Joh has been made a channel of hope and blessing to the

world of suffering men and women. His afflictions which seemed so heavy and intolerable, were really but light afflictions compared to the glory flowing from them, and but for a moment compared to the eternity of blessing following them. Already they have wrought out for him three thousand years of exceeding glory, and that glory is increased by the help brought to every troubled heart who remembers Job and takes edurage.

AY I write to you as a fellow-sufferer and mourner of "But," you say, "What do you know of our sorrow? It has not touched it would be not sorrow on the property of the suffered whippings and storill which the suffered whippings and suffered whipping strength is made perfect in weak-

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Then said Paul: "Therefore, I take pleasure in infirmities, in reproaches, in necessities, in persecutions, in distresses for Christ's sake, for when I am weak, then am I strong," and for two thousand years an "eternal weight of glory' has been rolling up and increasing for Paul, as a result of his afflictions: for every troubled soul that finds comfort and help in the study of Paul's life and experience, but adds to the

weight of Paul's glory, Our own dear old General, it has always seemed to me, was chosen of God to be not only His chief spiritnal warrior among us, but also as suffered as did our General.

God has not called any of us to an easy path. He withheld not His own beloved Son from intense sorrow and suffering, and a breaking heart, and if we suffer with Him and our faith fail not, we shall also reign with Him.

We have not been promised freedom from suffering in this world, but we look for a better world where there will be no more pain or death. and where all tears will be wiped away. Hallelujah! And, if we suffer here, our sufferings will be incorporated into God's great plans, and he made to work out for us "a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory," if we lift our eyes from our present sorrow to the heavenly and eternal things.

And in view of this, shall we not

dare even to thank God for our unspeakable sorrow and loss, since He will, somehow, overrule them for our eternal good? We can only do it by faith, as we believe, as we look forward to the unfolding and work-ing out of God's plan and pur-poses. Oh, let us believe! So shall we have light and enter into peace.

God has chosen us in the furnace of affliction, but it is in the hottest furnace that the finest porcelains are developed. It is in the furnace (Concluded on Page 6)

had commenced, without God. The meeting concluded, and the peaker went off to her work, and

#### PEOPLE TURNED AWAY

Assist.

had to be turned away. Ensign and Mrs. Clark have won their way into the hearts of the comrades, while the singing of Mrs. Clark is a great blessing to all. Since the Officers have taken charge of our Corps over thirty-five souls have knelt at the

The Campaign is in full swing and

# WITH THE BOYS IN FRANCE

seen him glad, seen him sad, seen him laughing, and seen him struggling to keep the tears back. I have also seen him clean and smart seen him "somewhat muddy" when he has just come from the trenches. Then, again, I have seen

are rendering at the battle's front. him wounded, seen him just coming round from an anaesthetic after an

operation; but I like to see him best of all when he is in huspital with the knowledge that he is down on the list for going home.

At No. — Hospital, when a man is to go home three pieces of tape are tied to the foot of the bed. From the moment those pieces of tape appear, the occupant can think of nothing else; no groans nor moans escape him when he is lifted into the stretcher: "home, sweet home" lies at the end of the journey—he can bear anything.

During our visitation of the hospitals we often find the men asleep. We do not disturb them, simply put something in their little lockers and pass on. To-day a man awoke just while we were standing at his bedside. Imagine his pleasure at seeing a Salvationist near, for he told us he had just been dreaming about his own Corps

-Bradford II. Many of the seenes and incidents clutch at one's heart, and often the lump rises in the throat, and we experience a little of the anguish which we see others are suffering. To-day I prayed with a dying lad and tried to comfort his mother who was there with him. He was partly unconscious, but the mother so wanted me to pray with him. I saw slight recognition in his eyes for a moment, and he said distinctly, "O sister, do pray for me" I did.

Was not able to get much sleep last night, for I could not help thinking about that poor, multi-lated boy, and the terrible agony on his face. I I shall never forget it! No words can describe it, and no hand could ever paint it-yet, if that picture could be kept before the rulers of nations, surely war could never be!

Found a Canadian at No. - His people are anxious to know exactly where he is wounded, but he was so bright and cheerful that it was rather a job to find out. "I guess there's not much the matter with me," was all he would Yet he has a horrid wound in the head, another in his arm and will mostly likely lose one eye, and has shrapnel prints past counting! Sent him some fruit, and wrote his friends about

Translated a letter from the French hospital which the Brigadier received: it was graciously expressing thanks for a consignment of Auntic are much valued.

Poor T-, the nurse says that he has not smiled since he has seen himself in the glass. He certainly is terribly disfigured. However, I am glad to say that we had the satisfaction of seeing him smile before we left. How good it is to tell of a happy religion!

Looked over a veterinary hospital to-day. There are 1,500 horses here. Some of their wounds were truly awful. One poor creature has fifty-three shrapnel wounds, and yet it was nas nity-three shrapnet wounds, and yet it was as quiet as a lamb, and let me pat it, which I did most sympathetically! Dr. W—— kindly let me see an operation. No trouble is spared. The horses are never sick after the chloroform. although they have enough to kill two or three humans. But what interested me most, per-haps, was that the doctor said they never have any cases of gangrene. I asked him if he could account for this, and he said, "Not unless it is that they are vegetarians"! Of course, I was delighted, and soon told him that I was one. We had quite a bit of fun over it. The doctor says he gets really fond of some of the horses, and is quite sorry when they have to go. .

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HAVE seen the Brit. Being Some Extracts from the Note Book action and be laughted to the seen thing gad, seen the grad, "I suppose I shall have to cat a lot of choose seen thing gad, seen of Adjutant Mary Booth

> As Adjutant Mary Booth, second daughter of The General and Mrs. Booth, is at work among the troops in France, the extracts from her diary, which are given below, reveal to a alight degree the kind of service our Officers, under the direction of Brigadier William Haines,

"Well, I won't shake hands with you." Among the letters to-day, one from a Mrs. G. She says, "Thank you very much for sending me the few lines about my husband. If I could only see him, how glad I should be! I do hope the Lord will give him life long enough for me to see him. Tell him how I long for him."

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lost both his arms

laughed heartily when Ensign Whittaker said

Many of them thoroughly enjoy a good joke. One poor man, who had

I called this evening to see how he was. It inquiry. He was not long bringing the answer. "Dead and buried." Nothing could be said. Nothing could be done. So I burried out. It is a dark, cold night, and seems all the darker and colder since. I wish that I had not inquired muil the morning. I wonder how far any one can really share another's sorrow? I wrote as kindly and as sympathetically as I could, but pen, ink, and type seem almost out of place as such times.

The answer was not long in coming. "Thankyou for what you have done for me and my dear husband, and for taking so much interest in my sad grief. If I could only have seen his dead body, the blow would not seem half so hard to bear. We have prayed morning and night, but it seems as if our prayers had not been answered 1 seemed to have lost all. Dear friend, there is only one thing I can ask you to do for me, that is, to have a photo ut his grave taken for me It is the last thing in the world for me to look at." As soon as the cross is up we are getting one taken and sent on to her.

I spont an hour last night at the railway sta-tion at A-. An ambulance train was in Hor different from the usual scenes at a station! No passengers hurrying to and fro. No luggag No porters. No taxis. Except for the slot tread of the stretcher-bearers hardly any sound at all. This is said to be the finest ambules train in the world. Cost £30,000 (\$150,000), was able to look over it. It is beautifully fitte white enamel paint, surgery, and kitchen; bunk one above the other, as on board ship. It carrie four hundred cases. Some of these are st waiting to be unloaded, and look quite comfo able. One part was reserved for Indians. Rolls up in their dark brown blankets, with their da brown faces, I could not see much of their except for their white teeth and the white bandages.

I waited until they were all unloaded. Some looked as though they did not care much wha became of them. Many, I fear, were makin their last journey, but all that could be done heing done for every one.

Visiting hospital tents, came across quite number of wounded Germans. They seemed someprised when we handed them chosolate. Quite a number knew The Army. They seem Oute a number when the Army, Incy, such they wer forced to fight. Seemed very gratified at all that was being done for them. I managed to ay few words in German. One of them burit or crying at hearing his own language. Told m how he longed to see his wife and wo children that the Language of the control o Alas! I don't think he ever will,

Passing down a street in D—, the Brigadie noticed a pretty incident. I was feeling awfull hungry and on the look out for a restaurant. Frenchman pointing to us evidently wanted b know who we were. One of the British soldier standing on the curb-stone, unable ply if French, answered by putting his hands arther in an attitude of prayer, showing that standing on the curb-stone, unable ! a praying people!

Since coming out here I have felt as new before what a wonderful name our dear Arm Shall we live up to it? Only God call help us'i



ADJUTANT MARY BOOTH

letter to me), when a knock at the door, and Mr. and Mrs. T. call in on their way to see their iov, who is wounded.

They are in great trouble about their passports, and as a consequence have not been able to sleep all night. The Brigadier examines their papers, supplies the needful, and soon allays their fears. I slipped my hounet on (which, by the way, is getting very shabby; it fell out of the car the other night, and was picked up by a French soldier at five o'clock the next morning. and forwarded somewhat squashed), and took them to the hospital. The boy is conscious and recognizes his mother, and with great effort moves his arm to show ber how much better it is. The father seems almost dazed, but stroked the poor, emaciated hand, saying, "Ay, but, lad, it is thin."

With great pride he tells me how many prizes Harry had from The Army Sunday School. The mother is a Salvationist, and the children have all belonged to The Army. The boy has lapsed into unconsciousness, but kneeling together round the little cot we prayed and were comforted, and the father promised he will give himself to God.

Spent most of the afternoon in a small ward at No. — Hospital. There are seven cases only. One, a lad called D—, such a bright fellow: we have visited him before. His parents are Salvationists. His father has been the Sergeant-Major of the Corps for twenty-eight years. The nurse says that after our visits he is years. The nurse says mat after our visits ne as always asking how long it will be before we come again. I had not seen him the last day or two, as I had been away, but Ensign Whittaker prepared me for the change. I could see he was dying. The last time the Ensign saw him he seemed to come round for a few moments, and stroked her bonnet-strings as though he rememhered us.

Silently we stood for some time by his cot, with the photograph of his loved ones in our hands. We knew that no seas or passports or harriers would have had its way. In the next bed is a lad stone deaf, asleep, so. I did not dis-turb him. Opposite is a fine-looking fellow, who declares he can eat chocolate, in spite of the fact This morning I was, just starting a letter to that one teg has been blown off, and another my darling sister (she is so brave in her last partly 20, both arms wounded and chest and

## THE WEEK'S BEST STORY SELECTED FROM THE ARMY'S PRESS

## A SIMPLE OPEN-AIR TESTIMONY

AND HOW IT LED A WANDERING SOUL TO GOD

T was just an ordinary open-air - higher influences; but increasing meeting held on the famous St. George's Plateau, Liverpool, There was nothing unusual about the crowd which circled the ring of Salvationists, listening eagerly to the words of truth and humming an accompaniment to the singing. Presently a sister Soldier-the matron of a prominent institution in the city-got into the ring and told the

story of her conversion. ...In the listening throng was a woan, once beautiful, but now much faded as the result of the ravages of a dreadful scourge. Something he drank in every utterance. She did not know God; a life of giddy case had erected a barrier against

weakness of body had filled her soul with a longing for something un-known; and the simple outlining of the secret of peace quickened her mind and kindled hope within her,

But that was not all. In the performer friend of hers, for they had graduated together in a famous London hospital. In those days they were equally giddy, extracting life and were slaves to enjoyment. The speaker had met The Salvation Army and had discovered God, and the course of her life had been changed in a flash and she had commenced to live for others. The listener had continued to live as she . .

ceived an urgent summons to visit an old friend of hers, and with all speed she set out to the address. Arriving, she was taken to a room

where lay a woman almost in the throes of death. The end of the listener was drawing nigh. In moments of consciousness she had called for The Army sister, but she was not known to the auxious friends gathered around. They, however, realizing that the dying woman's peace of mind depended on the fulfilment of her request set off

the listener to her home in the

Seven days later the matron re-

suburbs

to make enquiries and were successful in tracing the matron, As the Salvationist walked into the room, the woman opened her eyes and muttered, feebly, "At last —do you remember me?—I am—." Then in trem-ling tones she told of her wasted life and how she had attended the open-air meeting and had heard her old friend speak of

then," she continued, "but I know so little about God. Tell mc-Oh,

tell me more—quickly!"

The sands of time were rapidly running out, but The Army visitor told the sweet story of Jesus and tenderly led the erring soul into the fold-just in time.-British "Cry."

Many Seekers-Khaki Bandsmen

We are having good meetings at Barrie, and last Friday night people .

we are believing for greater victorics. We are glad to have four Bandsmen from Hamilton (military soldiers) who, with the Bandmaster of Owen Sound, make a great asset forgiveress and peace. to our little Band. A great welcom
"I have prayed, Oh, so hard, since awaits the Commissioner-Inter. to our little Band. A great welcome

E have just had a visit from Hamilton L Band and Songster Brigade at Hamilton III., when they rendered a programme of music and song presided over by Lient-Cotonel Chandler, assisted by Staff-Captain and Mrs. Burrows. The Hall was full, and the visiting comrades did their very best to make the meeting as interesting as they possibly could. During the evening the Colonel mentioned that Captain Blaney had announced the meeting would have some surprises, which included that a large arch lamp had been justalled at the front of the Citadel, and that he (the Colonei) had add, and that he (the Colonet) had to unveil an illuminated Roll of Honour, with the names of our comrades enlisted (twenty in number); the third surprise was that the Songaters of No. III. had provided rearreshments for the visiting comrades. As the Colonel read the names of our boys on the Roll of Honour, the large crowd gave veni to its feelings by hand-clappings and wolleys. Altogether, the meeting was a grand success.-I. B. B.

On Monday, Nov. 22nd, the Mont-real IL Band held their annual Band League Tea. when we spent a very enjoyable evening. The Bandsmen and their wives numbered about thirty. Our numbers were small. owing to so many having gone to left are not forgotten. Those who are at the front have been presented with a small Bible, and now a small parcel of eatables has been sent to each member separately. This has been given from the Baudsmen's private fund.—W. J. E.

On the invitation of Bandmaster On the invitation of Bandmaster Delamont, of the Toronto Temple Band, a Musical Programme was rendered by the Band of the Strd Battalion (C.E.F.) in the Templeon Nov. 29th. Quite a number of Salfully appreciated the opportunity of playing once more to an Army audi-ence. Major McAmmond acted in the capacity of chairman. The service opened with the singing of ings Flow," and then Adjutant Meald prayed for our soldiers at the front and those in training. The programme rendered by the Military Band was a real musical

Thanksgiving

of rain" in a spiritual harvest.

Prayer Topics

8. That special and Divine inspira-

tion may be given the military lead-ers, upon whom, humanly speaking, the cause of liberty depends,

over the world.

1. For the "Sounds of abundance

Randmaster Reeves has brought his men to a high state of efficiency, and they play with a dash ers. At the conclusion of the programme. Bandmaster Delamont expressed his thanks to our military comrades for their visit to the Temple, and hoped that some way would be found for the Temple Band to render some help to the soldier-lads in return. The proceeds of the Festival, which amounted to twenty-three dollars, went towards reducing the instrument debt of the Temple Band.

Musical comrades played a big part in the opening of Finsbury was splendidly timed for the first day of the Siege. A Band, composed of instrumentalists drawn from surrounding Corps, raided a street which is officially designated "the worst street in North London." and their music drew from the houses an immense crowd of drinksmitten, ill-clad and dirty men, women, and children. Those who took

part in the initial venture of the part in the initial venture of the Finsbury Park Corps confessed that they were astonished to find such a street and such a people in Britain's Capital. A one-time chapel, which has now been converted into a Salvation Citadel, was packed to the doors by these very people, and time and again they expressed their gladness that The Salvation Army had come to minister to them. Several souls were won in the first meetings, and many have since been added to the Converts' Roll, and are to-day singing songs of gladness.

The Staff Band (New York) took part in a great parade on a recent Saturday afternoon in Paterson, X. Thousands of children were on the line of march, with almost every Church in the city participating. Over forty bands furnished music for the various delegations, and the local papers, commenting on the nutedly the best musical organization in the entire parade was the splendid National Stair Band of The Salvation Army, of New York City, which is composed of thirty mem



Captain Marsland, with Military Salvationists, at Sewell Camp, Man,

# The Praying League

2. For the courage and faith of For our General.
 For the King: "God save the King," and all our rulers. our dear people with the troops, and of their loved ones at home. 3. For the many opportunities of service before The Salvation Army.
4. For the interest shown by the Young People in the many efforts being put forth on their behalf.

Bible Lessons on Thankseiving SUNDAY.—Leviticus 7:12-29. MONDAY.—Psalm 26. TUESDAY.Psalm 50. WEDNESDAY.-Psalm 69. That God's Spirit may richly endow all who labour for the spirit-ual and moral uplift of the King's THURSDAY.—Isaiah 51. FRIDAY.—2 Corinthians 4. SATURDAY.—2 Cor. 9:11-12.

Honour Roll for Prayer

2. That a great spiritual revival Private John Hubbard, with First C. E. F., France. Will the friends of our Bandsmen people. 3. That God will bless and strengthen The General.

4. That poor, suffering Armenia may get relief.

5. That the prayer of the hundreds and Soldiers with the troops send us their names, that we may add them to the Honour Roll of prayer.

of thousands of God's ancient people may be heard.

6. That we may all learn how to ray. "Lord, teach us to pray."

That a great revival may sweep A Place in the Ranks Rise, for the day is dawning. And you lie dreaming on: The others have huckled their

armonr And forth to the battle have gone place in the ranks awaits you; Each man has some part to play, he Past and the Future are noIn the face of the stern To-day! -A. A. Proctor.

Show Your Colours

To say we have no enemies is tactly to admit that we are not doing much for the cause of Christ, for His cause antagonizes evil everywhere. A Christian can hide his armour by a cloak of timidity or policy, and thus ward off personal policy, and thus ward off personal attacks, but that is contrary to Christ's teaching. Christ's way was illustrated in the case of Lord Nel-son, who, when advised to wear a cloak to cover his stars, which made him a mark for the French sharp-shooters, replied, "No: in honour I got these stars; in honour I will wear them; and, if need he, in hon-our I will die with them."

We are living for One who said "I have overcome the world." He has provided us with an armour, and given us minute directions how to meet and vanquish enemies.

Tell the Story In a large city, some years ago, an oculist opened an office. He had

"Why do you not have your sight restored?" The usual story was told of how he had tried many physicians

and spent all his money in vain.

"Come to my office," said the ocu-list. The blind man went, and sublist. The blind man went, and sub-mitted to an operation. After he had recovered his sight the man said, "f haven't a cent in the world. I can't pay you." "Ob, yes," said the oculist, "you can pay me, and I shall expect you to do so in this way—tell everybody you see that you were once blind, and then tell them who it was that healed you." them who it was that healed you."

For a lifetime Simeon had walked

It is the most we can do to in-crease the Kingdom of Christ, to tell that He has opened our eyes and won our hearts.—Selected.

Bandmaster Darby. All along the comment, and was greeted with round after round of applause round after round of applause. When not playing they would sing? On the Sunday morning the Band rendered music and song at the Broadway Baptist Church, where Colonel Damon occupied the pulpit. The Orpheum Theatre, which had been kindly placed at our disposal with the management was the management with the sunday of a polytery of the property of the been kindly placed at our disposal by the management, was the scene of a great praise meeting in the af-ternoon. Over a thousand attended this service. Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, where the evening meeting was held, was taxed to its utmost capacity, every available pew was occupied, and a large number

#### HAVE YOU FRIENDS AT THE FRONT?

For the information of those who would like to communicate with Salvation Army Chaplains, the names and addresses are as follows: Captain R. Penfold, 26 Cheriton

Road, Folkestone, England.

Captain C. B. Robinson, 30th Re-serve Battalion, Napier Barracks, Shorncliffe, England.

Captain Steele, 36th Reserve Bat-talion, C.E.F., West Sandling Camp, Kent, England. Captain Kimmons, Camp Chap-lain's Office, Exhibition Camp, To-

Captain Milton, Barriefield Camp.

Kingston, Ontario.

Captain A. G. Ashby, Field Post-Office, Queen's Park, London, Ont. Captain Marsland, Sewell, Man.

These Chaplains will be glad to be of any service possible to soldiers at the front or at Concentration Camps, or to the friends who are interested in the men who are with His Majesty's Forces. If anyone having relations or friends in the hospitals will communicate with the Chaplains, they will be glad to visit them. Please give full name, regimental number, hattalion, and as many other particulars as possible.

Current magazines, newspapers, and good books will be gratefully received by The Salvation Army Chaplains at Concentration Camps.

# no friends, no patients, no money, and after-waiting in vain for a case be was about to give up in despir. One day on the crowded street he saw a blind man. He looked into the signiess eyes, and them said:

For a lifetime Simeon had walked in the darkness of a world that was Christless. Then, when it seemed that the darkness was permanent. Simeon saw the light of God in the face of Jesus. It was a surpassing boon that was this granted to Sime-on, and his debt of gratitude was paid by his telling that his eyes had seen God's Salvanion in His Soo.



The Induction of the New Commander of the Quebec and East Ontario Division by Colonel Gaskin. We are looking to Brigadier and Mrs. Moreben and their Officers to help us keep the Canadian Ensign flying in the Eastern Canadian and Eastern American Contest. Never let the old flag fall, comrades. The Americans are hard on our trail and time is flying. We are looking out for repeat orders from this Division.

Brother Eli Shea, Woodstock N.B.

Dec. 11, 1915

On Wednesday, Nov. 3rd, Brother Shea passed away. He was seized with paralysis and died Wednesday at 10 a.m. He leaves a wife and

Brother Shea had lived in Wood-stock all his life. For ten years he was a church member, but when The Army came to this town, over thirty years ago, he became a Sal-vationist. He was loved by all who

wattonist. He was toted by all who knew him.

The funeral service was conducted on Nov. 5th by Captain Fullerton, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Dow. On Sunday a memorial service was conducted by Captain and wise was conducted by Captain and Mrs. Fullerton. A number of the comrades and friends spoke. They told of the help and blessing Bro-ther Shea had been to them. We shall miss him. The bereaved family have our prayers and sympathy. God

#### Sister Phibbs of Fredericton

Death has visited Fredericton and Dealth has visited Frederictin and removed Sister Philibs, who had reached the ripe age of sixty-two years. Our late comrade suffered for a long time prior to death. Her last testimony was: "I doubt not my Salvation

Sister Phibbs was born in Sterling, Scotland, and came to Canada about two years ago; since that time has lived with Afrs. Captain Condie, who is the only daughter of our departed comrade. In addi-tion to Mrs. Captain Condie, there are three sons; one is a Salvation are three sons; one is a Salvation Army Officer and the other two are military soldiers, fighting for their King and country. May God com-fort the hereaved and console them in this dark hour.

#### INTEREST IN MILITARY MEN Welcome of Officers-Souls Are Captured.

The welcome incetings of Adjutant Raven and Lieutenant W. Jones tant Ravels and Detectional W. Jones to Woodstock have been characterized by much of the presence of God. During the first ten days some twenty souls knelt at the Mercy Seat, quite a few for pardon and some for Consecration; several of these being military men.

Part of the lower Hall has been apportioned off for the use of the military soldiers, and tables, writing

military soldiers, and tables, writing material, and reading matter placed at their disposal. Also Wednesday night is devoted to them, when a suitable programme will be ren-dered. The Salvationists among them are taking a brave stand, both playing in the Band and helping in The Army was still making prothe meetings generally. The crowds are picking up, and there seems to be some real faith for a winter of

## PROMOTED TO GLORY Chief Secretary and Mrs. Gaskin AT HALIFAX

eaders.

Representatives spoke the wel-come of the Soldiery and Local Of-ficers; Candidate Bobbitt represent-

ing the former, said Major and Mrs. Crichton could depend on the Sol-diers for work and prayers. Envoy

Gerow spoke on behalf of the splen-

did hody of men and women of ex-perience and ability, who are the Local Officers of the Division, and

predicted advances under our new

Ensign Tutte, of No. I. Corps, spoke on behalf of the Officers of the Division, and pledged himself and them to rise to the great opportunities, which, in God, are without limitation.

Staff-Cepitain Byers, the genial Chancellor, welcomed the Major as a man of God, of prayer, of the Bible, and of work: and evinced

great faith for a happy and useful command for the Major. "Power

to Heal the Leper" was sung by

The new Divisional Commander

was well received, and replied:

There are no limitations to God."

he made his covenant with God, the devil started out after him; but, by

the Grace of God, he said, "I'm go-

ing through."

The Installation address by the

The Installation address by the Chief Secretary was a wonderful exposition of Bible Truth, and was delivered with great force and liherery. "All things are yours," said the Colonel, addressing the Divisional Commander; going on to explain what that meant. "Learning

s yours; the world, nature, life,

death are yours. You are the stew-

the manifold graces of God. A steward must be found wise and faithful; must administer the estate

as his own. A wise and faithful steward represents his Master's will,

His purposes, ideas, and methods. He takes his Master's place, seeking

the lost and degraded. He will con-duct his Master's affairs. The Sal-

vation Army is God's. This is God's work; our affairs are His affairs. He

will be responsible to his Master." The Colonel eloquently concluded hy mentioning the mysteries of the

boundless love, fathomless mercy,

and matchless grace of God; inenm-

Adjutant Sheard.

INSTALLATION OF MAJOR AND MRS. CRICHTON IN THE NO. I. CITADEL

THEN people speak of the enthusiasm of the West, as compared with the East, it proves that they have not been far responsive nature indeed that could not eatch the contagious enthusi-asm of our Halifax comrades. Their Blood-and-Fire Salvationism makes them conspicious. In such an atmosphere the installation of the new Divisional Commanders by the Chief Secretary and Mrs. Gaskin was an unqualified success, and the gracious spirit manifested an carnest of great advances in the future.

The Officers of Halifax and Distriet were entertained at a tea pro-Corps, and the words of counsel were heartily appreciated and stored in mind and heart for future assistance in the work which grosses our whole souls. Several sional Commanders, promising a hearty co-operation in all their endeavours for the advancement of the Kingdom.

the Kingdom.
A great open-air demonstration was held, each Corps taking a different stand until gathered by the No. I. Bands and Corps, and joined in a grand march to the Citadel.

The Installation Service made a series of deep and lasting impressions. A happy note was struck with the opening song, "This Is Why I Love My Jesus." Mrs. Staff-Captain Byers prayed, and the Songcaptain Byers prayed, and the Song-sters, under the baton of Ensign Wright, aequitted themselves with great credit in "Christ Our Inspir-ation, and Our Great Reward."

Heartily greeted, the Chief Secre-Heartily greeted, the Chief Secre-tary rose to speak of the importance of the gathering from the stand-point of Halilax Division, The Salvation Army, as evidenced by his presence, and the Kingdom of God. It was important, the Colonel said. It was important, the Colonel said, that God's blessing should be upon it, for no man can do God's work unless God be with him. In illustration of this, he mentioned a conversation overheard on the train between a staff-sergeant and a clergy-man. The staff-sergeant said: "No man can talk to the soldiers about God, unless he knows God for him-

gress notwithstanding the numbers work at the battle front, and especially of our own Officer-Chaplains, was intense interest, and whetted our appetites for the promised visit of the Colonel and his War Lecture at an early date,

Crichton under the Flag to God, to The Army, and to Nova Scotia, and Soldiers and Officers rose to reconsecrate themselves to God for fresh advances in this Division.

advances in this Division.
It was a meeting of soul-uplifting
power, permeated with hopefulness
and faith, that evidence a visality,
which indicate and make possible
mighty strides forward under the
new Divisional Commanders.—T., '

In connection with the installa-tion of Major and Mrs. Barr to the St. John Division, Colonel and Mrs. Gaskin visited Fredericton, St. John and Moneton. The Colonel, accom-Fredericton, from Montreal, on Saturday, Nov. 20th.

The Campaign started with a very helpful Soldiers' Meeting, which

was followed by a rousing welcome service. The Corps' Sergeant-Major. and others voiced the welcome of which the new Divisiona Comto the St. John Division, and judge-ing from outward manifestations by the Soldiers, the pleasure was many the Soldiers, the pleasure was must Gaskin, who was most warmly re-ceived. It was quite evident that all were delighted to see and hear her

and she won every heart.
The Colonel followed with one of his inspiring addresses, which was full of wisdom and truth, and while suffering from a severe and discressing cold, he rose wonderfully to It was his desire, said he, to enjoy religion in his own heart, and he wanted the same for every man. He desired the prayers of every Soldier, the occasion, and gave a powerful Divisional Commander, and when

address. The Holiness meeting on Sunday morning was another spiritual feast. and led to much heart-searching by

and red to make heart-carding shall present.

In the afternoon the Colonel lectured on "The Salvation Army and the World War.' His Worship Mayor Mitchell presided, and, in ince

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Two "Cry' Sellers

maximes grace of Gou; mean-preheasible, yet all-embracing, Mrs.; Sister: Mrs. Watmough (acting), Gaskin prayed fervently, while-our is "War Cryf' Segeant of West For-hearts burned within us with in-tense feeling. And the Ghief Seere-ay week, Sister: Mrs. Chalk Selfa ray dedicated Major and Mrs. Christians "Crys".

Next morning he appeared at the Police Court, and in due course approached the witness stand to assist in the cross-examination of the young man in the dock. But the Magistrate looked suspicious. Our comrade is a converted Jew, and bears the facial tokens of his race. "Are you a Britisher?" asked the Instice of the Peace

'No. sir. I am a registered alien!' "Then you cannot officiate in this court. I'm atraid. I have a profound respect for the Organization whose uniform you wear, and I would do much to show how really honour it, but I cannot allow you

to act as interpreter here."
/ "Very good, sir. But may I first
say I did not come here of my own seeking. I was appealed to by your inspector!

"Oh, yes, I know, and am deeply grateful to you for the splendid way in which you have come to the aid of the police already. But there is an English- officer whose services we can enlist, and that helps us out. When the British officer had been brought into court and dulattested, it was found that he could not tackle the translation of an of-ficial document, and he gave up the

## AIDING ANXIOUS ALDERMAN A Champion Xmas Cry Boomer

CAPTAIN HANCOCK OF HAMILTON IL HOPES TO SELL TWO THOUSAND CHRISTMAS "CRYS" HE TRILS HOW HE DOES IT.

APTAIN HANCOCK. of Hamilton II., writes as folto thank you for such a mag-

nificent Christmas 'Cry.' It is in my estimation the finest yet.

"I believe in booming the Christmas 'Cry' for all I am worth, as it stir up interest in the town at which I may be stationed. It we get a production that it is a credit to The Army, and is well worth the money asked for it. I have some little experience along the lines of boosting the sales of

"When stationed at Sudbury, I sold 2.000. No one had ever atso small a town, and the result fully ustified my move in ordering as I did. although Sudbury's order pre-vious was only 250 copies. I might mention that all surrounding places were worked also. At Lindsay I se-cured the same results by the same

"It seems a deplorable fact that there are so many Corps in the Territory without any kind of a 'War "Dear Editor,-A line first Cry Brigade whatever. There is talent in every Corps that can be utilized if the Officer will get busy.

"The following illustrates this. At Sudbury, while stationed there, it appeared as though the Corps was ninus of usable talent as regards 'Cry' selling. Nevertheless I inter-ested myself in Brother Menno Poll -a Dutchman-and soon found that he possessed enthusiasm and grit, as well as Salvation. I imagined he would be a good 'Cry' Boomer, and consequently told him to get busy with some Christmas 'Crys.' He had never sold a paper before; yet no less than one thousand Christmas 'Crys' were sold by this com-

"Brother W. Richards, a Soldier of Lindsay Corps-my last appointtwenty-eight years, had never sold a 'Cry' in his life. I started him off, and he sold five hundred Christmas 'Crys.' TO THOSE WHO HAVE LOST

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fires of affliction that the finest characters are forged, if men will

Oh, my comrades:-

"Judge not the Lord by feeble sense, But trust Him for His grace; Behind a frowning Providence He hides a smiling face. Deep in the unfathomable mines

Of never-failing skill,
He treasures up His bright designs,
And works His Sovereign will. Ye fearful saints, fresh courage take,

The clouds ye so much dread Are big with mercy and shall break In blessing on your head,"

if you believe.

Give God time to be "His Own Interpreter, and in the meantime be you can, be thankful—give thanks. And this we shall do if we look not too closely at our loss and sorrow, but look up and away to our Hea-venly Father's far-reaching plans and purposes which embrace eter-nity. (Rom, 8:28; 2 Cor, 4:17-18.)

nity. (Rom. 8;28; 2 Cor. 4:17-18.)
"Earth has no sorrow that Heaven cannot heal."

Finally, try to comfort and help some other suffering soul, and you will even in this find some help and healing for your own hurt, even as



Commissioner and Mrs. Sowton and the British Columbia Officers. The British Columbia Province has done well, considering circumstances, with the Christmas "Crys." But we hope the Officers have not reached the limit with their orders,

osition: whereupon the nowanxious Magistrate had to appeal to the Salvationist to help them out. At the close of the business the representative of British justice rose in his place and addressed the Salna in place and addressed the Sar-vationist, saying how highly he esteemed the kindly manner in which our comrade had ignored the official snub which had been administered to him, and the generous spirit he showed by stepping into the breach after all. This all served to increase his admiration for The

"May I speak a word or two?" asked the interpreter. "Certainly."

"Then I must first say how glad I am that I have been of any service to you. In the next place (taking up the Bible from the stand before him) this is the first time I have been sworn on this Book. I have studied its contents from beginning to end, and find here no mention of English, French, German, or Russian; but it does state hat all men have sinned, and that esus Christ became the propitiation or our sine. My testimony and vith it I close, is that, having avail-r myself of His provision, I have build Salvation from sin." And he

Again the Magistrate spoke:—
"I call that a word in season,"
aid he, "and it was fitly spoken,"

methods, selling 1,500, an increase of 1,250 over previous year.
"My method, in broad outline, is

as follows. All depends on a thorough organization. First I get a map of the town and divide it into sections. Then I appoint a 'War Cry' seller to each section, with positive instructions to call at every house in every street. If they re-port that through any cause whatever they are unable to complete the district. I take care that I either finish it myself, or get some other comrade to do it. Thus I make sure of letting every family at least in town know that there is such a paper as the Christmas 'Cry' and that it is a good thing.

"My Soldiers, as a rule, get very and there is a spirit of friendly riv-and there is a spirit of friendly riv-airy engendered amongst them airy engendered amongst them which greatly helps the sales. This would not be the case were I to thrust a few 'Crys' into their hands and tell them to go anywhere they could and sell them. Each one has that it will not be encroached on by others. They sell 'The Cry' fully understanding that inside the covers of it is Salvation for those who will seek God. I do not give a number of prizes or gifts of money; they do it for the glory of God. I myself take the business section of the town, and personally dispose of

many hundreds.

"When we arrived at Hamilton II., some four weeks ago, there was no commissioned 'Cry' Sergeant in the Corps, We have now an organized Brigade of five Boomers, which will be commissioned shortly One brother who had never sold a 'Cry' until this last three weeks, has disposed of nearly one hundred Christmas 'Crys.' Two sisters also. one of whom has sold over one hundred and the other is getting along with her hundred. I expect these five comrades to sell roughly seven hundred and fifty, Christmas 'Crys.'

"Hamilton II., for years, has ordered four hundred copies. Already we have received fifteen hundred, and by the time this appears, we ex-pect to be at the two-thousand mark. believe in working every inch of territory belonging to the Corps, and keeping off other Corps' district—absolutely. May this rule be strictly adhered to."

#### HOPEFUL FOR FUTURE.

The Soidiers are taking a deep in-terest in the Soul-Saving Campaign at Ingersoll. Last Thursday evening Rev. R. MacLeod, of the Presbyterian Church, gave us an excel-lent address on "The Great Salvation." It was very inspiring. We are believing for victory in the hear future.—F. E. D.

the widow of Screpta found her heart comforted in time of famine and her oil and meal unwasting while she fed Elijah. "Think how the Son of God

These thorny paths hath trod; Think how He longed to go. Yet tarried out for thee th' apappointed woe: Think of His loneliness in places

Where no man comforted nor cared

for Him: Think how He prayed, unaided and

alone, In that dread agony, "Thy will be

done! Friend, do not thou despair, Christ,-in His Heaven of heavens, will hear thy prayer."

#### NEW OFFICERS WELCOMED

Captain and Mrs. Cox have reecived a most hearty welcome to Nelson, The comrades of the Corps are rallying around them splendidly, in a "put-your-shoulder-to-the-wheel" spirit. The Winter Cam-pain is well under way, and thera is a most hopeful spirit in the meetings. One excellent case of conver-sion has taken place.

We have recently had a visit from Staff-Captain Peacock, the Young People's Secretary, whose presence with us for a week-end was a great cheer and encouragement to us .- G.

#### INTERNATIONAL INTELLIGEN

## CHIEF OF THE STAFF

LEADS SIEGE BATTLE AT LEWISHAM

The Chief of the Staff recently conducted a stirring meeting at Lewisham. Taking as his subject "The Pearl of Great Price," he drew upon such a wealth of illustration and Rible truth as to hold the closest attention of the audience from beginning to end. Before Lient.-Colonel Hurren was called upon to Colonel Hurren was canced upon to press home the invitation to the Mercy Scat, one of His Majesty's soldiers volunteered from the very centre of the building.

He had, it transpired, come almost straight from the trenches. Early in the evening he had been found by the first-comers waiting outside the Hall, eager to know if there was to he a meeting. It's had promised God, he said, that the first thing he did when he got home should be that he would go to The Salvation Army Penitent Form and get saved. He was followed later by a hospital nurse and others, till in the twenty minutes that were devoted to the prayer meeting ten seekers had knelt at the Merey Seat.

## **NORWEGIAN FISHERS**

GIVE CODFISH IN COLLEC-TION-GOOD WORK OF ARMY LIFEBOAT

Away in a fishing village the inhabitants were recently visited by The Salvation Army (saya "Kriga-raabet, the Norwegian "Yar Cry"). On the collection being taken up, the fishermen complained of laving so little money, but said that fish would gladly be given. habitants were recently visited by

On the first day that the fleet returned from the sea a couple of ermen and took up a collection; the result of which was very considerable, being 120 young cod, which were sold at the full price. In auother fishing village they received seventy-five codlings, and the total sum realized was about \$20.

The men of the 'Catherine Bonth' Lifeboat are carrying on a remark-able work, and the fishermen are exceedingly gratified with them and the life-boat. It is not only fisher-folk whom they help, however. From time to time other human lives are saved. The Captain told me how once, one stormy night, they sailed many miles from Hasvik to Hammerfest with a patient who was in need of instant medical attention

## **WAR-SCARRED BELGIUM**

THE ARMY IS CARRYING ON A WORK OF MERCY

Colonel Fornachon has paid a visit to Belgium, to find out what can be done to help the people (says "En Avant," the French "War Cry"). The Colonel, who is in charge of the Work in France and Belgium, arrived at Brussels entirely unannounced, and was more than delighted to find that all the Officers at this centre were quite un-harmed and still faithfully earrying

Our popular distributions of soup are still taking place. After having examined the situation, we have decided to start distributing soup for adults in Quaregnou (Belgium) as well. Adjutant Renaud is full or ardour, and that in spite of her health, which has not been very good, especially her sight, which of late has left very much to be desired. . . . Lists are prepared, and re-lief, conforming to these lists, is taken to the homes each week by

## SEVENTEEN WOUNDS

BUT HE MAY PULL THROUGH VET

Writing of her experiences in France, Adjutant Mary Booth says:
"Found a lad at No. - Hospital. in answer to inquiry from his parents, who are very auxious about see him. He has seventeen wounds After being hit he was in such agony that he pleaded with his mate to shoot him, but thanks to the tender care of the nurses and doctors I believe he may pull through. It was his birthday. He was just tors I believe he may pull through. It was his hirthday. He was just mineteen. Flowers by his bed and other little things showed that he had not been forgotten. The cook at the hospital made him a cake, with the words-

Private Bunker Was not a funker, But was a hero

in icing sugar! We were favoured with a piece. He told us he had a longing for ginger ale. How well remember wanting the same thing when I was ill! They do not make it here, but I was determined would get some even if I had to search the whole town for it, and I am glad to say I succeeded.

## KIAO CHAU COLONISTS

ASSISTED BY THE ARMY ON THEIR JOURNEY HOME

Major Kirkham has received an official letter of thanks for the help recently given by The Salvation Army in Zurich to a number of inhabitants of the colony of Kiao Chau, who passed through the town (says the Swiss "War\_Cry").

This letter says: "They were not only received and assisted by you your Soldiers on their arrival and departure, but also, furnished with a good number and selection of garments, as well as with toys "For this evidence of Christlike love and philanthropy I give you iny warmest thanks, together with the heartfelt wish that your work, so full of blessing, may still in the

#### INEBRIATES' COLONY

The Work in Sweden is Developing

The work at Kurou (The Army's island Inchriates' Colony) is, we are glad to say, developing still further (says "Stridsropet," the Swedish "War Cry"). The latest advance is that the Government has, at Com-missioner Ogrim's request, granted that the number of Colonists shall be increased from thirty to forty. As sion is great, and the need of help for our drink-wasted brothers is very pressing, we rejoice over this development, and pray for a rich blessing on the efforts at Kuron.

### COMMANDER BOOTH

HOLDS A MIGHTY MEETING WITH SAN QUENTIN PRISONERS

Entire Company in Tears as She at the Penitent Form.

Further reports by press wire and otherwise indicate that the Commander's meetings at Los Angeles and Santa Barbara, Cal., were sur-passingly influential. Brigadier Wood, in a wire, says that the Sol-diers' Council at Los Angeles, held in Blanchard Hall, was attended by five hundred Salvationists, and that the final Officers' Council was most powerful along lines adapted to meet eertain peculiar conditions existing in the city at present.

On Wednesday, at Santa Barbara, the new recreation centre was the scene of a great demonstration of approval of The Army's Work.

"The Commander," says Briga dier Wood, "did magnificently, surthus far. Her lecture received a rapt and enthusiastic reception; many Commander for the great blessing that she had brought." It is the general opinion that "the meetings will bear much fruit in days to come, and will be far-reaching in fluence

On Sunday morning the Com-mander addressed, in their chapel, the assembled prisoners of San Describing the Quentin Prison. meeting, a private wire says:-

"Prison meeting surpassed all ex-perience. The chapel was crowded. and the men voluntarily remained two hours. Seldom have we seen audiences so profoundly moved or so many weeping and sobbing. Six-teen came to the Penitent Form and many others were saved as they sat in their seats.

Of the Sunday's meetings at San Francisco, Commissioner Estill says: "Meetings both this morning and to-night unqualifiedly success-ful. The prison chapel was crowded this morning. The Command-er's address produced wonderful results. A large number were in tears and many asked for prayers. The prison officials were delighted. To-night the big church was packed; people filling aisles and back. ('Greatest erowd in the history of the church,' says another report.) The Commander did splendidly, though weary from strain of earlier engagements. She was wonderfully sustained and strengthened. audience was deeply impressed."

## **SELF-DENIAL VICTORIES**

RECOPD ACHIEVEMENTS BY AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

Gratifying news has been received cable at International Headquarters concerning the results of the Self-Denial Efforts which have just been concluded in Australia and in New Zealand.

Commissioner Hay has had the pleasure of reporting to The General sponded with such good-will to the Army's Work at this time of special need that the records of all previous

victories have been surpassed with the total of £39,600 (\$198,000) which is £6,600 (\$33,000) ahead of last year's return.

From New Zealand Commissioner Hodder sends news which is, in proportion, an even greater triumple proportion, an even greater triumpi, the amount raised in the Dominion being £2,500 (\$112,500), an advance of £3,400 (\$17,000) upon the splen-did total of 1914. The figures for the three leading Corps are Gis-bourne £2,300 (\$11,500, Auckland (\$7,500), and Wellington £1.360 (\$6.800).

To the Leaders of The Army's forces in both Territories the Chief of the Staff has conveyed The General's thanks and warm congratula-

Our readers will, we are sure, be united in admiration of these achievements and in praying that God's richest blessing may rest upon our comrades beneath the Southern Cross.

### SIEGE NOTES

HOW THE GREAT CAMPAIGN IS PROGRESSING IN BRITAIN

Throughout Wales the Siege Effort has been taken up with splendid verve. There is scarcely a Corps which is not reporting a soul-saying break, and the hills and valleys are literally ringing with the glad news of Salvation

Adjutant Gumbleton (Aberdare) is distributing hundreds of Gospels to workmen. He is to be seen at the station at five o'clock every morning talking to the men who leave and arrive by the early trains The other evening a woman stop-ped the Adjutant in the street and begged for a Gospel—"Same as you gave my man!" "If your husband gave my man!" "If your husband has one, then you can share the said the Adjutant. "Nay, you're wrong there," answered the woman, "he wunna' part with it for one ninute. He says he's feared to go down pit without it and wants is next his heart all the time."

Upwards of a thousand Salvations ists of the Cardiff Division May loined His Majesty's forces and their oss is keenly felt. But in severs Corns sister commades are engaged in fitting themselves to take the place of Baudsmen who have gone to the front, and throughout the Division there is a notable increase of women workers in the fighting line, Many of these comrades are members of what are termed "Tackling Brigades."

In Ireland the effects of the Siege are being felt from Londonderry in the north to Cork in the south, and numbers of souls, including many service men, have been won for God.

Belfast I. Corps, with the ty-three captures, heads the list s, far as the number of seekers is concerned. Adjutant Simkin, in order advertise the Campaign and arrest attenfares as well as the back streets, distributing bills and carrying sand-wich boards with striking Salvation announcements. Many fresh people have been attracted to the USA

# **WAR CRY**

foundland, Bermude, and Alaska, by The Salve Son Army Printing House, 16 Albert St., Toront

## Another Drink Tragedy

On his recent visit to Toronto, Billy Sunday showed some of the results that attended the making of a bushel of wheat into whisky. The recent tragedy at Harwich fully equals in horror anything that Mr. Sunday said. From the newspaper account we learn that the man-"went home last night in a partlyintoxicated condition and this mornjug continued drinking," What followed is this: The drunken man battered in his wife's skull with the butt end of a gun, and then went and hanged himself in the barn: his six children, the eldest aged fifteen, and the youngest two, being the only eye-witnesses of the tragedy that has made them orphans, And yet there are those who

would place all sorts of obstacles in the way of making Ontarlo dry. It is the duty of everyone who has any regard for the welfare of his neighbour to do everything possible to prevent him putting the bottle to his lips. We sincerely trust that the effort to make Ontario a dry Province will be absolutely successful. The Salvation Army has been described as the greatest temperance society in the world. No one can be a member of the Organization and use "booze," All connected with the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor can be far more usefully employed than making stuff which causes tragedies like that which occurred at Harwich Township.

Brigadier Green presided at a Musical Festival at Lippincott St. (Toronto) on Monday, Nov. 29th, and contributed an interesting item to the programme by singing one of his original songs.

Brigadier Bettridge has returned to Headquarters after his first tour as Young People's Secretary. He visited twelve Corps in the East Ontario Division, conducted twentyfour Senior and sixteen Young People's meetings, and saw twenty seven seek Salvation and twenty-three Sanctification. His impres-sions will be found in "The Young Soldier."

Brigadier and Mrs, Miller conducted the meeting at the Mercer Reformatory last Sunday; Major and Mrs. Moore were at the Mimico Jail; Ensign and Mrs. Tyndall at Thornhill Prison Farm; and Ensign and Mrs. Church at Whitby Prison

Captain and Mrs. Wilson have been appointed to Chester, and Captain and Mrs. Woolcott succeed them at Yorkville.

# SPECIAL SERVICE LEGION

## Ensign Laura Clark, of the St. John Rescue Home, to be Adjustant. How Salvationists Help Those Bereaved Through the War-or Relatives in Doubt and Difficulty

LORD FISHER AND LORD KITCHENER STORIES-THE MOTHER'S SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

wife

means of support of the mother or

A widow in Ontario had a son

and a daughter, the latter earned

six dollars a week, so the son was naturally the main—if not the only

-support of the mother. On the

strength of a separation allowance

young man enlisted.

for the allowance.

being granted to his mother the

But the separation allowance fail-

ed to materialize, and the widowed

mother was in very straitened cir-

cumstances. The committee, with that dunderheadedness so charac-

teristic of similar bodies, had con-

sidered the case, and had come to

the conclusion that having a daugh-

ter at work, the son could not be

called the sole support of his mother.

and decided that she was not eligible

Anybody will understand that it

takes nearly six dollars a week to

keep a young woman, and that un-

der the spirit and intentions of the

army regulations the mother should

have been granted an allowance. In

her distress the mother told her

case to a Salvation Army Officer,

who immediately communicated with the amborities at Ottawa, with

separation allowances, but all ar-

Directed by Mrs. Commissioner

Richards

for rendering service to the rela-

tives of those at the front, so in

view of the increasing need of this branch of service, Commissioner Richards has decided to organize a

Special Service Legion, to operate

along lines somewhat similar to

those in vogue in Great Britain, to

be under the direction of Mrs. Com-

Mrs. Brigadier Green, who about

dantly possesses the characteristics

of a "tender heart and a cheerfu

countenance," will be in charge of

the Toronto Legion, and the Com-

missioner is very desirous that the

those of the city Field Officers and Soldiers of the Corps, whose circumstances will permit, should

volunteer for this branch of service

on behalf of those who are sacrific-

The work will be to comfort and

extend spiritual consolation to the sorrowing ones, to render practical

assistance in the home of a wife or

mother overwhelmed with grief at

the death of husband or son, and to

advise in matters of assurance, sep-

aration grants, and all matters that

may bother women not accustomed

to dealing with boards, committees,

and municipal and governmental

Headquarters, who is well informed

accessible to member of the Legion

All those who desire to assist in

this most Christlike work should

communicate at once with Mrs

Commissioner Richards at Terri-

on all these matters, will always he

Brigadier Morris, at Territorial

wives of the Headquarters

ing for the Empire. .

departments.

in Toronto.

torial Headquarters.

missioner Richards.

There are abundant opportunities

rears (nearly \$500) were paid up.

■HE casualty lists appear in the daily papers with fearful regularity, showing that in Canadian homes fathers, husbands, and sons are being slain or maimed, fallen victims to sickness along the terrible battle's front, and for a considerable time past our comrades in Canada, in an unofficial way, have been very effectively doing the work of the special Service Legion, an organization that has been called into being by The Salvation Army in Great Briof life and limb caused by the war.

The work-of the Legion is to comfort and assist materially those who have lost relatives at the front. in any possible way that commonsense and a kind heart may suggest. And its preanization consists of a score or more sister Salvationists in each town or Corps, who work un-

#### "The Best Yet!"

Concerning this organization, the following story is told:

It appears that Lord Fisher, the late First Sea Lord, at the request of the King, called at the offices of a London Distress Committee for information as to what was being done to cheer up the wives of sail-ors and soldiers. He was informed that The Salvation Army had undertaken to do all that was necessary in that direction.

"We have set apart for it," he was told at The Salvation Army Headquarters, "women with tender hearts and cheerful countenances. remark delighted Lord Fisher. He slapped his thigh in sailor fashion, laughed heartily, and exclaimed: "Splendid: this is the best I have heard yet. I will tell the King

It was in connection with this branch of work that the following took place:-

A Sunderland woman, with five sons in the army, lay dying. Her one desire was to see her boys again and through the offices of a local Salvation Army Officer, four of the sons serving in England reached home within twenty-four hours. Their expenses were paid by the was at the front, and there seemed little chance of the old woman secing her wish fulfilled. But the Salvationist Officer wired to the War Office, and back came the reply over Lord Kitchener's signature, saying that if the son could be found he would be sent home, and eventually he landed in time to see his mother before her death. The authorities had paid his expenses and had given him seven days' furlough and

#### A Mother's Straits

There is also work of another character in which Salvationists can render very valuable assistance to those who are serving their King and country at the front. One of the rules in Canada governing the payment of separation allowances is that the soldier shall be the only PERSONALIA

#### INTERNATIONAL

The General recently visited Manchester, Oldham, Northampton, and West Hartlepool.

Memorial Services for Salvationists who have fallen in the Great War are to be conducted by The General in the London Opera House on December 1st; in St. Andrews Hall, Glasgow, on Monday, 6th, and in the Free Trade Hall, Manches ter, on Wednesday, Dec. 8th.

Mrs. Booth led three Salvation meetings at Walthamstow recently, and at Regent Hall conducted the inauguration of the Life-Saving Guerds.

On Nov. 18th she spoke at the Women's Social Anniversary in the Whitehall Rooms.

The Chief of the Staff, though still suffering from pain from the some days, was able to fulfil his engagement at Lewisham. The Chief now very much better.

Commissioner McKie is, we are sorry to hear, still indisposed.

Commissioner Adelaide Cox met number of Army friends at the Women's Industrial Home, South Shields.

Commissioner Lamb led a recent week-end's meetings at Aberdeen, a fixture which he was unable to fulfil previously owing to an accident which necessitated his remaining indoors for some days.

Colonel Bates, the Auditor-General, who is in the Far East, is due to arrive in Colombo, where he will confer with Commissioner Booth-Tucker.

the result that the mother not only was placed on the list for the Colonel Brengle is leading a series of weekly Holiness meeting at the Scandinavian Corps at Arlington, N. See his article on Page Two.

Fourteen men, the survivors of a boat which was recently torpedeed one hundred and thirty miles from Crete, are being sheltered and cared for at The Salvation Army's Naval and Military Home at Malia.

A Salvationist sergeant in the King's army, while guarding some German sailor prisoners, thought he recognized some of them, and on inquiry found he had met them at The Salvation Army Congress last year. They were then in the Ger-

Arrangements are being made by Commissioner Cox to cutertain at the Florence Booth Hall, Hackney, a number of women who have been bereaved through the war-

#### TERRITORIAL

The Opera House has been sesioper's week-end meetings, Dec. II-12. At the welcome meeting in the afternoon Mayor Craig will preside,

ing, the meeting will be held in the Methodist Church, and Mayor Curran will occupy the chair.

On Tuesday, the Commissioner will visit Barrie, where the meeting will be held in the Presbyterian Church; the Rev. Dr. McLood presiding.

action on Wednesday; the meeting being held in the Opera House, with Mayor Barr presiding.

The Riverdale and Temple Bands and the Staff Songsters will supply nesday, Dec. 8th. All Staff and

#### Field Officers in Toronto will be present at this meeting,

For the Sunday night meeting at Chester (Toronto), Dec. 19th, the Model Theatre has been placed at The Army's disposal free of charge.

Dec. 11, 1915

The Chief Secretary will preside at the Christmas Junior Demonstration at the Temple on Monday, Dec. 13th, and at a similar celebration at

Lippincott Street, on Thursday, Dec 16th. Lieut.-Colonel Bond, during his week-end visit to St. Catharines, was

invited to be one of the speakers at the Y.M.C.A. Parlours to a number of returned wounded soldiers. This function, which was presided over by Alderman Burgoyue, was of a most warm and sympathetic char-Brigadier and Mrs, Adby con-

ducted the meetings at Oshawa on Sunday, Nov. 28th. In the after-noon the Mayor presided, and was supported by a number of leading townspeople.

#### CANADA WEST

Adjutant Habkirk, of the Subscribers' Department, is quite busy with the Christmas Appeal. Brigadier Taylor recently dedicated four young children at the

Kildonan Home.

The Salvation Singers will be ac-companying Staff-Captain Sims to the St. Stephen's Church, where he is delivering an address on "Social

The Winnipeg "Tribune," in reference to Commissioner Sowton's visit to Alaska, stated that the Alaska Indians were gathered to meet "their Winnipeg Chief." There is no doubt they will find him a COMMISSIONER RICHARDS 'Chief" indeed.

Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Turner returned to Winnipeg on Sunday, Nov. 21st. Needless to say, the Staff did not need reminding that the Colonel was back at the "Hub."

Hearty congratulations to Licu-tenants Eva Norman, G. Turner, A. Brown, and A. Lecksen, who have been promoted to the rank of Cap-

Brigadier and Mrs. Taylor recently conducted a very interesting week-end at Selkirk, Man.

of charge for the gatherings. Adjutant and Mrs. Allen, of the Winnipeg Social, have received their farewell orders. Adjutant Denne has returned to

the Staff Songsters sang "Rock of Ages," which had a very mellowing effect upon the audience, and which Winnipeg after her trip to Montreal, where she had the pleasure of renewing old acquaintances. A successful bar, "" was given by

III. Corps the Young People . of Winnipeg, on Ta v. Adiu \* Overjoyed with the result.

The Salvation Singer ve been requested to accompany Taylor to special meetings conducted by him in the St. Vital district. A number of the residents of this lo eality desired The Army Work to be established in the district.

Despite the fact that Mrs. Ainslie is still confined to her bed, Captain Ainslie is working hard to create interest at Weston. The Young People's Band assisted Brigadier and Mrs. Taylor at special meetings and an all-round improvement was noticed. God bless the Captain!

Dyson, the little son of Adjutant and Mrs. Carter, who, for the last few years, has had the misfortune to continually break his legs, acon Sunday afternoon to Winnipeg VIII. This is a new experience for him, and he speaks of the Corps as "His Corps."

Lieutenant Kristine Rem sailed from Copenhagen on Nov. 12th, en route for Canada. She will be taking an appointment in Canada West.

## THE GENERAL

#### PLANS TO HELP WOMEN WIDOWED BY THE WAR

LEADS ENTHUSIASTIC MEETINGS IN THE IDEAL THE-

ATRE AT EAST TORONTO-TWENTY-ONE SOULS

worked hard.

LREADY this dreadful war has presented, and is destined yet to present, its Aghastly fruits to us from many standpoints, There is the wounded soldier whose physical capacity will never be the same again: the poor blind fellow who must go groping through life help-less and useless unless cared for and trained: the limbless man whose place in the ordinary ranks of industry is gone; the man of distraught mind who cannot remember his own identity; the people with reduced incomes who will find it Seeing that the first necessity for impossible to make ends meet; and; each sadly-circumstanced family is worse case still, those who have lost their all.

But amongst the lot no condition is more truly pitiable or more worthy of compassion and help than that of the widow-and especially the widow with little children dependent upon her. How many of these there may be, God only knows! Certainly they already number tens of thousands, and the cry has gone up from the whole land-"How can they be helped?"

The General, it is true, has had schemes for the spiritual uplifting of the people of this and many an-other land, to say nothing of strennous efforts of relief and cheer directly connected with the sanguinary struggle now in progress.

AST Sunday, the Commis-

sioner, assisted by the Staff

Songsters and the Training

College Staff and Cadets,

conducted special services at East Toronto, in the Ideal The-atre, which was kindly loaned free

The Holiness meeting was a tonic

for the soul. After our Leader had

given the children a five-minute talk

wrought them into a good soul and

mental condition to receive the

with the possibilities for service and

spiritual prosperity of a fully-surren-dered life. No one could doubt the

nearness of the Holy Spirit. It was

The Indian Summer weather which

prevailed afforded an opportunity

for a good crowd to attend the musi-

ent festival in the afternoon. Licut.

Colonel Rees was appointed by the

Commissioner to be Vice-President,

and he made an excellent assistant,

as well as an able pilot. The Song-

sters' singing was received with much appreciation, as was also the

playing of the Orchestra, which has

gained much fame for pleasing and

inspiring congregations with music. Major Arnold's vocal and violin

solos were rendered in good style, as was also the singing of the Male

The genial remarks of the Chair-

man and the music and song made

it an enjoyable gathering. One commendable practice on the part of the ushers was the bringing of the people right down to the front of the building.

The night's meeting was full of

an inspiring meeting.

Commissioner's address, which deals

But, with Mrs. Booth, his soul has becu especially moved on behalf of the widows and children, and, greatly assisted in this direction by Commissioner Lamb, he has devised a scheme of practical help and wide annlication. Army is definitely committed to ye another enterprise of mercy and beneficence, whereat, we confidently believe, a far larger circle than ad berents and friends will rejoice the while they will rally to The General's side, with that other generous aid which is indispensable to the plan's successful working.

trustworthy advice. The General has decided to supplement the Central Council, known as the Widows Counsellors, already formed by The Salvation Army in London, by ap-pointing suitable persons in every district to also act as Counsellors, and these will all be allied to the Central Council. In this manner a network of help and sympathy will be spread round the whole of the Kingdom. It is obvious that before anything can be done for a particular family, all the facts concerning it must be carefully ascertained, and the decision of what it is best to de based upon the result. This constitute the work of the local

theatre was crowded to the doors; evidencing that the Corps Officers, Captain and Mrs. Bosher, had

Brigadier Morris sought the bless-

ing of God on the large crowd, and Staff-Captain Chard read the Scrip-

tures. A beautiful influence was felt

all over the building when the Com-

missioner called on Lieut.-Colonel

missioner cance on Licut-Coloner Smeeton to pray for the "boys at the front." The Staff Songsters ren-dered "My Shepherd" and "Remem-ber Me" with great effect.

Rapt attention was given as the Commissioner delivered his address.

Who of us could doubt the love of

God? The plenteousness of His mercy for all mankind and toward

every one gathered together? As

we listened to the Commissioner's exposition of the all-embracing character of God's Salvation.

Brigadiers Morris and Green led

the prayer meeting, and after much

faith and prayer, sinners and back-

sliders came forward, until twenty-

one had knelt at the Cross. It was

a well-fought prayer meeting, and God got for Himself a glorious vic-tory. The comrades of East To-

ronto must have been cheered, also

the Captain, as he pinned a piece of

Army ribbon on each seeker, thus

making sure they would start right.

the Principal and his assistants, did valiant service, both in the open-air

and inside meetings.

During the day the Cadets, with

precious season of refreshing to all present. The Spirit of God descended and hearts and consciences

In the afternoon the Colonel lec-tured on "The Salvation Army and the World War."

culendid lecture. inspiration and conviction, and the

night, and crowds were turned

It was a wonderful prayer meeting, and we finished up with shouts of victory over the thirty-second seeker. Among those who came forward was a military sergeant. At one time he had been a Colour-Sergeant in The Salvation Army, but had backslidden. Several other men

A little boy also came to the Pent-tent Form. In the previous Saturday night meeting for Young People, conducted by Brigadier Bettridge, this lad had been much affeeted, and he told his mother he would have to go to the front on Sunday night. God bless the lad!

Brigadier Motris has received a very kind letter from Major Willams Exhibition Camp, Toronto), also from Mr. Williams, in charge of the Y.M.C.A. work at the camp. Both gentlemen express their appreciation of the work of The Army, and intimate their desire for close co-operation in working amongst the soldiers.
Captain Kimmins, our Chaplain

coats with the Territorial Trade Department. This is a good time to

at the Exhibition Camp, Toronto, in addition to visiting amongst the soldiers and holding meetings. has been given official duties as follows: To visit the Isolation Hospital and Guard Room three times a week and the Stationary Hospital every day.
The New Glasgow Bandsmen are placing an order for new uniform

#### The city of Kingston was all alive with Salvationists for the week-end

Nov. 27th-28th, when Colonel and Mrs. Gaskin visited the Corps for the purpose of leading the meetings

VICTORY AT KINGSTON

In Meetings Conducted by Colonel and Mrs. Gaskin-Fifty-two

Seek Salvation and

Sanctification

and introducing Brigadier and Mrs. Morehen. On Saturday night the visiting Officers were met at the station by the local Soldiery, including the Citadel Band and the Khaki tary Band. A procession followed to the Citadel, where a meeting was

held for the Bandsmen and Soldiers A very profitable time was spent, after which supper was provided in the Young People's Hall. We were privileged to have with us His Wor-ship Mayor Sutherland and his wife. The Mayor spoke in the highest terms of The Army's good work in Kingston. The Saturday night's meeting was of a musical character, both Bands taking part and rendering an excellent programme. The Citadel was well filled. The Holiness meeting was a very

were powerfully stirred. The Chief Secretary's address was a clear, convincing and soul-moving exposition of truth, revealing needs, and pointing out possibilities. By the time the prayer meeting started the iountains of deep feeling had been brok-en up in many hearts, and tears were trickling down many faces.
Twenty came forward to reconsecrate themselves to God's service.

the World War."
Mr. W. F. Nickle, M.P., presided, and the people present, who filled the Citadel, much appreciated the

The Citadel was again packed at heart-stirring time, the Colonel, who spoke on "The City," being mightily upheld by the Spirit of God.

khaki sought the Saviour.

Special mention should be made of the good arrangements for billets and all that had to be done for the success of the meetings and the bless East Toronto!

#### CANADA EAST

At Orillia, on the Monday follow-

Collingwood will be the seene of

the music at the great Euroliment Service to be conducted by the Commissioner at the Temple on Wed-

# SIGNS OF GREAT REVIVAL SHOWERS Soldiers Get Enthused and Many Glorious Victories are Won—Great Times Expected

"MEMORIES OF MOTHER"

Knee-Drill Well Attended—Devil Have Profitable Sunday's Meetings Given to Adjutant and Mrs. Jaynes Corps Making Progress-Meeting Attractive.

Major and Mrs. Coombs, our new Divisional Commanders, had charge of the meetings at Regina on Nov. 20th-21st. We commenced with an open-air meeting on Saturday even-ing, after which we adjourned to the Hall, where a rousing good meeting was held. The meeting sure was a blessing to all who were present. On Sunday morning, at seven

o'clock, knee-drill was held, at which ten were present. The number of comrades attending knee-drill is on the increase, since they were re-started three weeks ago. The Holiness meeting was a soul-searching time, and we had two comrades seeking reconsecration and one seeking Salvation, Adjutant Habkirk took the lesson at the afternoon service. He gave a touching talk on "Mother." This being Mother's Week, the theme for the day seemed to be "Mother."

In the Salvation meeting the Major spoke with reference to "Mother." Several incidents that he related were very touching. We feel sure that Sunday evening's service will be deeply impressed into the souls of those who were present. Afwe had four souls at the Penitent Form, two of them being backsliders,-A, H, Smith, Corps Corres.

#### LADIES TO THE FRONT

In Helping to Furnish the Quarters

The sisters of Ottawa II, have organized a Helping Hand League. This League held a Bazaar recently. and realized the handsome sum of seventy dollars. The money is to be aused to better furnish the Quarters and make them more comfortable for our Officers. This is our first attempt in work of this kind, and as "nothing succeeds like success," we are going to have another in the

Bandmaster and Mrs. Gage have returned from Halifax, and God is blessing their service in our midst. Brigadier Morchen, our new Divisional Commander, visited our Corps last week, and all were blessed and inspired by his remarks,

Last Sunday morning we had soul-reireshing time, when live of our comrades reconsecrated themtogelves to God. We are going on to victory.-C. C.

#### A RECORD SUNDAY

The visit of our new Divisional Commander, Brigadier Adby, was a great blessing to the comrades of Norland Corps. on Nov. 21st. In spite of bad weather a record Sunday was spent; two precious sonis for Holiness and two for Salvation.

#### PROFITABLE MEETINGS

The meetings led by Adjutant and Mrs. Cooper at Montreal II. on Sun-day were of a very helpful character. closing up for the day with one soul for Salvation. W. G. E.

BRIG. AND MRS. MOREHEN

Sunday, Nov. 21st, was a day to which Officers, Soldiers, and friends had looked forward to for some time, as it was to be the first Sunday's meetings conducted by our new Divisional Commanders, Brigadier and Mrs. Moreben, at Montreal I., and we are glad to say they were not disappointed.

Captain Spooner read the Scripture lesson at the Holiness meeting, and after Mrs. Morehen had spoken, the Brigadier gave a very interesting talk on "Heautiful Crowns."

The afternoon was an old-fashioned Free-and-Easy meeting, but the ernwning time was at night. The word "Saviour" was the topic of the Brigadier's subject, and at the close of the meeting we rejoiced over seven precious souls seeking pardon

Brigadier and Mrs. Morehen have won their way into the hearts of the people, and all are looking forward to the time when they will be abie to spend another week-end at the Corps. We bespeak for the new Divisional Commanders a happy and prosperous stay in the Metropolis of Canada. God bless them!

## A GLORIOUS REVIVAL

Times of Power-Backslider for Eighteen years Returns.

Since the commencement of the Soul-Saving Campaign we have had good times at Dovercourt, God's irit being manifested in a wonderful matter-fifty-five souls coming to the Mercy Seat for Salvation and

Our Tuesday Night Sold-ers' Meeting and Friday Night Holiness Meetings have been times of refreshing, both to the old warriors and young converts; the subjects of the meetings being "The Power of Prayer" and "What Hinders the Growth of the Church of God." ( ne man, in his testimony on Friday night, said he had been a backslider

for eighteen years, but in the Sun-day night's meeting was restored. On Sunday, Nov. 28th, in the Holiness meeting, we had a glorious time-ten souls seeking Sanctification, and at night two souls cried to God for Salvation and one for Sanctification. May God continue this good work among us, and send a mighty outpouring of His Spirit in

#### AN OLD FRIEND

Visits Dartmouth-Speaks of the Early Days.

On Sunday, Nov. 21st, we had with us Staff-Captain. Byers, The meetings all day were full of blessing, and at night one soul volunteered for God's service.

In the afternoon the Staff-Captain gave a lecture on "The Early Warfare of Dartmouth." He was quite capable of doing this, seeing he was a Cadet here twenty-nine years ago. Our Officers, Captain Murray and Lieutenant Ellis, are leading us on to victory.—E, Y.

HEARTY WELCOME

On account of the Congress meetings happening almost simultaneously with the coming of Adjutant and Mrs. Jaynes to Vancouver I., their first full week-end was Nov. 21st. It was very gratifying to find that Officers and Soldiers are in agreement as regards the prospects for the winter's work, and that all look

The weather somewhat militated against open-air work on Sunday, and the morning's open-air, which this Corps, was considerably inter-fered with. The Holiness meeting. however, was good and well attended. The Adjutant took for his subject the necessity of being all of one accord. His remarks being well received. The afternoon's meeting was an old-time Free-and-Fasy and was specially interesting in that there were many Church people present, and gave their testimonies.

At night the Band and Soldiers turned out in good numbers for their respective open-airs. Inside. the Hall was well filled. After several Soldiers gave stirring testi-monies, Mrs. Jaynes gave a short address, after which the Adjutant house in order, for to-day thou shalt die and not live." During the prayer meeting three seekers came forward.

#### CAMPAIGN STARTS

Anticipating Great Move at the Metropolis.

We are glad to report that since the advent of Adjutant and Mrs. Kendall to Montreal I, we have been having some good times. Fresh interest has been created in the Soldiers' and Holiness meetings, and crowds are splendid; in fact, at all the services sinners and backsliders

are coming to God.

The first Sunday of the Fall and Winter Campaign seven volunteered for Salvation and Restoration in the night meeting. To God be all the glory! We are looking forward to a great revival of red-hot religion this

winter in the Corps. We have recently welcomed Adju-tant and Mrs. Calvert and their family, who have come to Montreal, also Brother and Sister Morehen, the son and daughter of Brigadier and Mrs. Morehen.

#### VISITING THE FARMERS

This week in our Winter Campaign at Red Deer was spent by our Commanding Officer in spine of the farming districts, sixteen miles from the Corps. By visiting and getting into touch with the people, also holding several meetings, we believe much good was accomplish-ed. Many who attended expressed a desire to have our Officer, with them again soon, as they have not the opportunity to hear much of God's Word. We believe our Campaign will prove a means of bless-ing to all and bring many precious souls to our Saviour.—"One, of Them."

ENROLL TWELVE RECRUITS

We have had another week of victory at Saskatoon. The congregations are increasing, and a deeper interest is shown, but, best of all, we have souls for our reward.

Our Saturday nights are becoming quite popular. Although it is impossible to get the Band, yet we ve lots of music from the concertina. guitar, cornet, and harmoni-

Sunday alternoon's congregation was a record one. Sister Phillips' child was dedicated to God and The Army. Then followed a Swearing-in of Soldiers. It was a pleasing sight to see twelve comrades stand-Then followed a Swearinging on the platform, with the Colours floating overhead, taking the oath of allegiance to God and The Army. The Adjutant was in his element. After the swearing-in, each comrade testified. One of them said would like fifteen minutes to tell out what was in his heart, but un-fortunately the time was limited.

night the weather would not permit the Band playing outside, so they gave some selections from the gathered together. A good meeting followed. The Adjutant spoke on the words, "Where art thou?" Many felt the Spirit of God strive within them, but after an carnest prayer meeting, we had to close without seeing any visible results .- C. C.

#### CHANCELLOR WELCOMED Comrades Cheered and Blessed

We have had the pleasure of having our new Chancellor, Major Me-Ammond, with us for the week-end at Fenelon Falls. Saturday night we alkelid our best to make him feel we were real glad to have him with us, and we had a happy time. Simday morning Holiness meeting was good, and in the afternoon a large crowd gathered together to hear the Major speak of his thrilling experience in the Empress of Ireland shipwreck. We had also a very impressive dedication service, when the Major dedicated five children to God and The Army.

At night the power of God was felt to a marked degree. The Major spoke carnestly and convincingly to the people. The result being two young people sought and found Jesus. Our souls were richly blessed and we enjoyed the Major's visit very much, and all say, "Come again, Major!"--"Jacques."

#### DIVISIONAL COMMANDERS Addresses Helpful - Three Souls Surrender.

Brigadier and Mrs. Taylor visited Brandon on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 13th-14th. There was much blessing received through their meetings. On Saturday night a man volunteered for Salvation, and on Sunday two sisters came for Full Salvation. The talks of the Brigatier were helpful and inspiring, and we have felly the influence of their visit throughout the week .- G. W. LIEUT.-COLONEL BOND

Visits St. Catharines Lively Meet-ings Good Results.

Last week-end we had the Editor of "The War Cry" with us at St. Catharines. A good crowd gathered on Saturday night when the Colonel lectured on "The Romance of Soul-Saving." Everyone present pro-nounced it good. The Holiness meeting was a season of blessing, and we listened to an excellent address, given by the Editor, defining clearly the blessing of Sanctification.

Alderman Burgoyne presided in the afternoon, when a splendid lec-ture was received by the congregation on "The Salvation Army and the Great War." Colonel Bond told us many touching incidents of what is taking place on the battlefield, and vationists are doing their part nobly.

The appeal at night was given with great liberty, and six decided to prepare to meet their God. mongst the seekers was a man and his wife, who had lost their son last week; three young women, and a man who had been a backslider of long standing; and each testified to God's power to save. We mean to press on.—C. Eacott, Corps Cores.

#### "TERROR TO THE DEVIL!" Motor Troupe Visit Newmarket

Envoy Rice and a number of comrades journeyed to Newmarket last week-end in a motor car, and conducted special meetings. Whilst one of the comrades gave their testimony on the open-air, a passer-by was heard to say, "My, he must be a terror to the devil!"

Ently Sanday morning the party met at Ince-drill, and their faith and energy resulted in many victories. The Holioess meeting was a sout-stirring time. Brother Mar-shall rend from God's work, and our souls claimed the blessing of Holiness.

At night, each of the party witsessed to the power of God to save. Envoy Rice made a powerful appeal to sinners, and two availed themselves of the opportunity, and found the Saviour. It was a good weekend, and the comrades of New market appreciate the labours of the "Motor Troupe."

#### LIEUTENANTS LEAD ON

Music Enjoyed-Five at the Cross

In the absence of Adjutant and Mrs. Larson, who are out of the city conducting meetings in the farming district, the meetings at the Scan-dinavian Corps (Winnipeg) were led by Lieutenants Norberg and Leckson. The services were exceptionally interesting in character; large numbers attending, and at night five souls surrendered to God.

A special feature of the meetings was the music rendered by the Brass and String Bands. The offerings were excellent, and the people in-spired. The Winter Campaign is progressing splendidly here. Hal-leujah!—E. S.

#### FIVE AT THE FRONT

Captain Jones, from Winnipeg, conducted the meetings at Dauphin for the week ending Nov. 21st. The services were well attended. God came very near, blessing His people, and four souls sought pardon and one the blessing of a clean heart. Captain Blanchard and Lieutenant McPhedron are ardent workers, and we can truly say that God is answering prayer during this Special Cam-paign.—T. F. S.

THE CANADA WEST CHIEF SECRETARY TERRITORIAL SINGERS

Conduct Their First Week-End Campaign—A Time of Great Interest and Blessing

Captain Poulter and her capable assistant, Lieutenant E. Day, cer-tainly worked hard to make the visit of the Territorial Singers to their Corps a success. Winnipeg VIII, is a recent opening, but there, is every prospect of the work becoming firm-

The weather on Sunday was ex-tremely cold, but the Singers com-bined with the comrades in six openair services, which created considerable interest in the locality. Considerable enthusiasm prevailed, perhaps, because of the fact that the services were the first the Singers had been privileged to conduct under their own direction.

The morning service was one in which everyone felt right at home, and a spirit of good fellowship prevailed. The Singers' rendering of "Jesu, O Jesu" was much appreciated. Ensign A. Osbourne and Captain A. E. Dalziel are to be congratulated on the production of the words and music of this beautiful song. Captain L. Jones and Sister C. Williams, of the soprano section, gave interesting testimonies, and the service was concluded with a heart-

to-heart talk by Ensign G. Carter.
Lieut.-Colonel Turner, who had
just returned from the Vancouver Congress, paid the Corps a surprise visit in the afternoon, and, at the invitation of Ensign Pugmire, consented to be chairman. An excellent programme of song was given by the Singers. Captain L. Iones and Sister B. Curry sang a duet, en-titled "Yes, He Understands"; the singing of these two comrades will, in doubt, become a special feature, for they certainly sing well together.

Brother Charles Sowton was called upon by the Colonel to deliver a short address. In a few,

short, but pointed words he referred to his conversion, and, in the course of his remarks, stated that his motto from now on was displayed on many of the jitney antos in the city -"Service Anywhere." By God's grace it was his determination to keep in this spirit as far as the service of God was concerned. Sister Barbara Curry's testimony was very definite and convincing.

Considering the Salvation Singers are only nine in number, their singing was very creditable indeed. Mrs. Ensign Pugmire soloed. There were many people present who re-membered her when she was a Corps Officer in Winnipeg, and naturally they were very pleased to have the opportunity of renewing her ac-quaintance. Ensign F. Peacock devered a short interesting address. hasing her remarks on one of the proverbs of Solomon, "A merry heart docth good."

The evening's service was of a bright, soul-saving character. The Singers entered right into the spirit of the meeting. This fact was clearly manifested by the manner in which they sang the very appropriate pieces, "Onward, Yes, Onward," "Gillity," "Hark! There Comes a Whisper." Staff-Captain and Mrs. Tudge both spoke during the service. Ensign Pugmire took for his subject "Blind Bartimeus," and hold the continued attention of all present. The Officers and constitutions of the staff of the subject of t ngers entered right into the spirit all present. The Officers and comdes expressed their appreciation of the day's meetings, and invited the Singers to pay their Corps another visit in the near future.

An English patent covers a cotter pin so shaped that the ends spring apart and lock it securely when put

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troducing the Colonel, expressed routing the Colonel, expressed very warmly his admiration of The Salvation Army and its work. Major Pennicombe, of the 104th Battalion, and Judge Miller, also spoke in equally warm and appreciative terms of the splendid lec-ture to which we had just listened The many facts and incidents prescuted by the Colonel made his lec-ture a most enjoyable and helpful

On Sunday night there was a memorial service, conducted by Colonel and Mrs. Gaskin; Mrs. Captain Condie having just laid her dear mother to rest. Sister Mrs. Brewer spoke feelingly of the de-parted saint, and Captain and Sister Condic sang a duet,

The Colonel's address on "Heaven" was very consoling and hope-inspiring, and was listened to with tear-bedimmed eyes. Again and again the congregation was visibly moved and hearts were wonderfully stirred. Three souls sought Christ but conviction was evident on every side, and those three were surely but the first-fruits of a coming harvest On Monday morning the party ar-

rived in St. John. A splendid wel-come had been provided for the Officers in the afternoon. A most enjoyable time was experienced-Captain Davis, Mrs. Green., Adjutant Calvert, and Major and Mrs. Barr, together with Col-onel and Mrs. Gaskin, making appropriate speeches. A pleasing surprise was spring on the party, when Ensign Clark, Matron of the Evangeline Home, rose to address the gathering. The Colonel, making a few personal remarks about her uniform, announced her promotion to the rank of Adjutant. The heartiest congratulations were accorded the new Adjutant by all present.

At eight o'clock the long-lookedfor Installation meeting took place. The No. I. Citadel was alive with a bright, expectant crowd, who warm-

Which He hath prepared for each

of His own; I love to think of its fairness and

Whilst now I view it by faith's dim

The Lamb, I am told, is the Light

The City itself is built four square:

And the streets are paved with pur-

Whilst nought that is there will

No sorrow or death will enter there-

No pain or crying, no evil or sin; But joy alone in that City will reign

And peace forever within it remain.

I love to think of that glorious

morn, When all shall meet who've twice

When dear ones, not lost, who've

Will meet us again on that Heaven-

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ly greeted the Chief Secretary and Mrs. Gaskin and Major and Mrs. Barr, the new Divisional Command-

ers. The service opened with the singing of "Would You Know Why I Love Jesus?" in which all joined heartily, followed by prayer, and the Scripture reading by Mrs. Gaskin. The Colonel then stated that the

object of the gathering was to ex-tend a welcome to Major and Mrs. Barr, the newly-appointed Divi-sional Commanders for the St. John Division. Treasurer Barnes, of the Citadel Corps, was called upon to represent the Locals, which he did in his most-approved style, extend-ing to the Major and family a very hearty welcome to the Division and city. Having been here on a previous occasion as Chancellors, they are by no means strangers to the St. John people, and knowing them al-ready added to the sincerity of the

Captain Davis, of the No. III. Corps, representing the Officers, as-sured the Major of their hearty support and co-operation in all their efforts for the extension of the Kingdom of God and the work of The Salvation Army.
Major and Mrs. Barr thanked all

for the kind welcome, assured the people that they felt quite at home, of the pleasure that was theirs in returning to the Division, etc.

The Colonel then gave an address on "Stewardship," commenting on two or three things of which the new Divisional Commanders, as well as all servants of God, are stewards. The Major and his wife stood forward under the colours, while the Colonel delivered a solenin charge, and the service was brought

to a close with prayer.

As there were several Salvation at members of the 52nd Battalion prosent at the meeting, who were so :ing the next day, the Colonel toand asked the congregation to lentwith him in prayer for a sale jot :-nev and God's blessing upon them, as well as all others who are away from home and loved ones, fighting the battles of their King and

THE HEAVENLY HOME GREAT VICTORIES

I love to read of that Heavenly Backslider for Thirty Years Returns to God.

> The Winter Campaign is in full swing at Swift Current. The first to return to God in Backsliders' Week was a well-known influential man of the city, who had been away from God for thirty years. crowds stand at the open-air meat-ings and listen to his testimoniba and solos. Ten others came home to God during the week.

On Nov. 15th-16th Major and Mrs. Coombs visited us. The results of their first meeting were four men seeking and finding the Savi-our; and the second night a hackslider returned.

Captain Pollock, of Bowmanville, has made a great improvement in The Army Hall at that place. He has painted the inside, re-shingle! the roof, and is now giving attertion to the outside front. credit to his energy and alertness.

Captain and Mrs. Condic. of Fredericton, N.B., desire to express their thanks to the many friends who them in connection with the passing away of Mrs. Condic's mother.

Our deepest sympathy is extended. to Adjutant Coy, whose only sister recently passed away at Oakwood. She was the wife of the Rev. Georgo. Johnston, a Methodist minister.

The meetings all day Sunday, Nov. 28th, at Toronto I., were led by Major and Mrs. McAmmond. We had splendid times. An open-air and inside meeting was held every night last week in connection with the Soul-Saving Campaign. Fo

-Mabel Rowsell.

THE WAR CRY

# Ancient Names Wiped Out by War - Fraser of the Scots Guards, a blow to the ancient house of Lovat. Lord Lovat lord Lovat lord Lovat lord Lovat lord Lovat lord Lovat is the hereditary chileflain of

HOW THE GREAT CONFLICT IS DECIMATING BRITAIN'S OLDEST FAMILIES

NGLAND is an empty place," recently declared the American wife of an dofficer in an English Guards regiment.

men have gone to war."

It is to he gathered from statements and speeches and newspaper articles that this statement is rapidly becoming the literal truth—so long as the emphasis on "men" is pre-

served. It was not to be expected that the response would be unanimous. It is a biological tragedy that a breed deteriorates under certain

There have been shirkers in all classes in Britain, even in these days when national existence is at stake. The pecrage and the landed gentry -that "upper middle class" of "for hrains, bowels, and backbone they surpass the youth of all other nations"—have produced men who have found some reason for not going to the front.

But the peers are seemingly sedulous to punish those of their own easte who have failed the Empire in the great crisis. Lord St. Davids rose in the House of Lords some time ago, and made a request which may bear fruit in a new-born eagerness to do some real soldiering in France or the Balkans. This excerpt from a London despatch tells

"A return such as Lord St. Davids has asked, giving the number of peers and sons of peers who are serving their country in the war, and the positions in which they are serving, together with a roll of those who have fallen, would reveal some

interesting facts and contrasts.
"It would show that there are sons of members of the House of Lords who have never served their country, and, in the opinion of Lord St. Davids, never intend to. These are for the most part strong, healthy young men, with no ties to bind hem to home, and no better excuse

for banging back than love of self. "Then it would show that there are a considerable number of peers and heirs to peerages occupying staff appointments which keep them well out of the danger zone. At the same time, the return would also disclose many hundreds of names of members of titled families who have taken their place in the firing-line, eager to compete with the sons of workers in sacrifice for their country and the supreme cause for which

it is struggling."

Many hundreds is probably no over-statement, when it is considered that the British army is largely officered that the British army is largely officered from the ranks of the titled and untitled gentry of Britain, and that the casualties among officers alone have run far up into the

thousands. In many cases the heir was first to respond and first to fall, and his place is now filled by the next in line. In some cases all the direct heirs have been wiped out, and the male line of an ancient house is extinct. Numbers of families have lost one, two, or three sons. In some cases every youth of the name who is able to bear arms is with the colours, with no small chance that hose who have not yet fallen will il a soldier's grave before peace

The all but complete wiping out wher f the Grenfells—an honoured fam- king. y, though their title is not ancient is one example. Lord Desorough, well advanced in years, is

the head of this house that has been shorn of its youth. When the war nephews, the latter being twins. Physically they were all splendid men, and some of them were above the average intellectually.

Of the young men of the family the youngest only remains-Lord Desborough's third son, Ivo. If the war runs to Kitchener's prophecy, he is pretty sure to follow his kinsmen to the front-and the conduct of the other four indicates that he will find his way to where the fight-

The old Scottish house of Mac-Dougall that traces its descent back Somerled, Thane of Argyle, in the twelfth century, lost the head of the family and the heir within a few weeks. Lieut.-Colonel Stewart MacDougall, of the Gordon High-landers, retired in 1892, and was a gentleman-at-arms in Queen Vic-toria's household. He returned to the colours, and his son, Captain Ian MacDougall, went to the front with the Grenadier Guards, Both are dead. The son was killed dur-ing the retreat to the Marne in

August of last year. Royal blood was spilled at the the great Fraser sent.

Lord Bernard Gordon-Lennox, son of the Duke of Richmond and son or the Duke of Klenmond and Gordon, has fallen in a quarrel such as that in which his great-grand-father, the Duke of Richmond, took up arms and fought like a man at Waterloo.

This is only a fragment of the list. Lord St. Davids has given his elder son, the Hon. Colwyn Phillips, and his second son is now serving in the cavalry. Lord Ribblesdale has lost his only son, Lieutenant the Hon. Charles Alfred Lister, Lord Stam-Charles Alfred Lister. Lord Stamfordham, private secretary to the King, is left without an heir, and the barony will die with him. Captain the Hon. J. N. Bigge, killed in Flanders, was his only son.

Lord Wendover was the only son and heir of the Marquis of Lin-colinshire, and this title will die. The marquis is also Lord Carring-ton; and this larony will pass to distant relatives. Lord Hawarden fell in action, and his cousin, Captain Eustace Maude, who succeeded to the title, is at the front. Lord Knaresborough has lost his only son, the Hon. Claude Meysey-Thompson, and this barony will also become extinct. The Viscount Northland, heir to the Earl of Ranfurly, died on the firing-line, but left a baby son who will succeed to



All in the 1898 Session Back Row (left to right): Mrs. Staff-Captain White, Adjutant Horwood. Mrs. Adjutant Richardson. Front Row: Adjutant Young, Adjutant Pickle, Adjutant Stickells. These Officers were all Cadets together at the Lippincott Training Garrison.

Dardanelles when Captain Augustus A. C. Fitz-Clarence of the Royal Fusilers, fell in battle, for he was a grandson of King William IV. In the Boer War he declined a commission and enlisted is a private, but rose rapidly, for his is a fighting

Brigadier-General Fitz-Clarence, V. C., grandson of the first Earl of Munster and great-grandson of William IV., has also died in his

Within a few weeks there were names in the casualty lists that re-called the "Forty-Five" and the wars of England and Scotland from both sides of the Border. Lieuten-ant R. A. Forbes Sempill was killed on the firing-line near Ypres. He held a commission in the Gordon Highlanders and was a son of one of the oldest houses in Scotland, of the oldest nouses in Scottanu, brother of the present Lord Sempill. The first Baron Sempill was killed at Flodden Field, when the best blood of the North soaked the hill

where lay the body of Scotland's At almost the same time came the announcement of the deaths of the Master of Kinnaird and of Major

Lord De Freyne, a relative of Sir John French, and his half-brother. who was heir to the peerage, were both killed on the same day. There is another half-brother, who now falls heir to the title. The De Freynes came to England with the Norman Conqueror, and went to Ireland with Strongbow. They have been in Roscommon for con-

Captain Lord Worsley was the

(Concluded on Page 14) MONTREAL INDUSTRIAL

Starts Open-Air Work-New Drum and Flag.

A new member has been added to the ranks of the Montrer | Industhe ranks of the Montrer Indus-trial in the form of a sple lid new drum just received from I adquar-ters, together with our new Plag. We went for an open-air meeting for the first time on Sunday mornill ing, this being a new thing. The 's people flocked around from all quar-tioners at the sight of the Flag and sound of the drum. Many a small Corps could not muster a better

crowd-fourteen active members is

NEWS NOTES and COMMENTS



Captain and Mrs. Yost

Recently married at West Toron-to by Brigadier Rawling. They are stationed at Smith's Falls.

a fair showing. Two policemen, one at each corner of the street, listened attentively, and apparently enjoyed the singing and testimonies. Ser-geant Bloomfield and Brother Rogers spoke to the crowd with good

In our little Hall inside we had a real, old-fashioned Salvation meeting, with no stiffness whatever. The boys can sing to thrill your soul, and such singing will not be lost,

Brigadier McMillan delivered a well-thought-out address, and his great experience in snul-saving work stood him in good stead, at the close four of our people came forwardtwo for Holiness and two for Salvation, and all four gave straightforward testimonies as to what they had received.

Although we have kept silent for so long, we have not shortened our speed in the spiritual line, for it is our constant desire not only to help men temporally, but to get at the root of the matter, and get them to

accept Salvation from sin. Our quiver here is full of good things which we could write for "The Cry," but we are lacking en-thusiasm, we must brace up.-G. T.

#### WOUNDED SOLDIER

Returns to Corps—Advances Made —Converts Active.

We welcomed our new Officers, Captain and Mrs. Rogers, on Sun day, Oct. 22nd, to Dunnville, and since then our Corps has taken on a new life. There has been twelve seekers, ten of whom are publicly testifying to God's saving and keep-ing power. Mrs. Rogers is doing wonders with the Young People's Work. Our attendance the first week was seven, last week it was

cighty-one. Captain Mapp was here to orga-nize the Life-Saving Guards, and met twenty-four girls. They are enthusiastic about getting uniform before Christmas. The Band instruments have been locked away for some time, but now we have eight players. Bandsman Galinger is do-

ing good service as leader. We welcomed Bandsman Hanigar back from France. He was woundcd at Ypres, but states that God was with him in the trenches, and on the battlefield .- R.

Mrs. Captain Bowness will shortly be given an appointment in the Women's Social Work. IN UNHAPPY SERBIA

O those who realize how valiant and long-enduring a little nation is Serbia, it will be good news that The Salvation Army is doing something to relieve the distress and

suffering which reign there. Colonel Govaars, who has for several months been relieving neces-sitous Serbians, is now at Salonika. and Colonel Unsworth also has also gone thither from Egypt. We are sure that these Officers of wide experience and great hearts will do all in their power to bless the bodies and souls of this much-tried people. Pray for them!

The new horrors added to the previous condition of things by retreating troops and thousands of poor fugitives are very vividly portrayed that brilliant war correspondent, Mr. H. Donohoe, who writes:-

"The retreating army encountered many difficulties, but never lost in mud and blocked with bullock wagons, in which the peasants earried their few belongings. Women trudged along carrying their child-ren on their backs, but there was no sign of panic or disorder. The soldiers were cheerful, some singing, and all ever ready to help the stranded peasants to escape the fury of the approaching invader. The tives was to trek away southwards-anywhere from the ruthless enemy.

A BRAVE WOMAN DOCTOR 66 N the midst of the retreat, on a road choked with army transport and guns, the correspondent came aeross the English Red Cross am-bulances in charge of Miss (Dr.) Stewart. This brave Englishwoman shared all the vicissitudes of the serbian army, aiding and consoling the wounded, succouring the infirm who had fallen by the wayside, and soothing the children whom hunger had rendered fretful and pecvish. Surrounded by all the horrors of war, she gave an example of devo-tion and self-abnegation in the face of death which will never be effaced from grateful Serbian hearts."

#### FOUND THEM EVERYWHERE

64SOMEWHERE in the Persian Gulf" a young man walking along by himself heard singing. Turning in the direction of the sound, he came suddenly upon a dozen men kneeling in a ring. Stand-ing behind a tree he listened. They sang a hymn and then one prayed, and this went on until all had prayed. Then the man behind the tree made his presence known, inquired who they were, and found they were Salvationists from different regiments, who had assembled there in order to cheer and strengthen each

other.

Later, the young man wrote to his brother, who is The Salvation Army Officer in Rochdale, England, telling him of the incident, and adding. "It was grand! Your people are everywhere! They were the first to greet us when we arrived in India; on going farther up country we found The Salvation Army were 'The People,' and now, coming here, I find them holding prayer meet-

WON A D. C. M. THE Distinguished Conduct Med-al has been awarded by the King to our comrade, Leaguer Fred Leach, of the 1st Wiltshire, for an act of gallantry at the front (says "Under the Colours," the organ of



The above is a reproduction of the centre panel of our Christmas "War Cry" front. It is in charming colour, and is a typical Canadian scene. Wouldn't it bring fond memories back to the boys in the trenches if they got a copy? In response to a number of enquiries, we herewith append a ist of prices for which we will send parcels of "War Crys" to the Canadian Overseas Expeditionary Forces, whether in England, France, or at the Dardanelles. The price per copy of the Christmas "Cry" is ten cents. If will be seen that that rate bas been cut right down to the bone, because we should like as many of the boys as possible to get a copy of our "Cry, which contains so much reading matter and pictures that will remind them of home, and bless their souls. The following prices include postage, etc.:—

FRANCE AND THE DARDANELLES 100 Copies.....\$6.00 100 Copies.......\$5.00 50 Copies.....\$2.50

50 Copies......\$3.00 25 Copies......\$1.50 25 Copies.....\$1.25 Say where you want "The Crys" sent, give your money to the Officer in charge of the Corps in your town, or send it to us, and we will do the rest. "The War Cry" Publishing Office, James and Albert Streets,

The Army's Naval and Military

League). On Aug. 31, 1915, at Hooge, during the bombardment of the trencha part of the parapet was blown in, burying a man. Sergeaut Leach went round the debris across the open under a heavy fire, and dug open under a neavy are, and dug the man out just in time to save his life. Our comrade had previously been brought to notice for gallant conduct at St. Eoi.

Toronto, Ontario.

ATTACKING A NATIONAL CURSE THE GENERAL is a joint signa-THE GENERAL is a joint signa-tory with the Archbishop of Canterbury, Cardinal Bourne, and Principal Selbie of a "Message to the People of England and Wales," appealing for their "full influence" free the country from the curse

"Face to face with more solemn issues than have ever before con-fronted our race," the message says, we are convinced that the time has come for us, by combined and vigorous effort, to thrust this shame and menace from our midst."

It will also be noted with keen interest that before long London and a large area round it will be subject to new licensing restric-tions; the sale of drink will be lim-ited to shorter hours, and it is ex-pected this will materially increase

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hibiting has had.

BANDSMAN'S BRAVE ACT BANDSMAN R. J. LYONS, son of Adjutant and Mrs. Lyons (Southall I., Eng.), who is now serving in the Queen's Westmin-ster Rifles, while at home on sick

leave, very pluckily rescued a boy from drowning.

While walking near a canal bridge in the vicinity of the Officers' Quarters at Southall the heard a cry for help. Seeing a boy in the water, drowning, he jumped in, fully dressed, and succeeded in rescuing him. Although he had only been out of hospital a week, after passing through two operations, our have centrade has felt no ill-effects. from drowning.

## "BILLY" SUNDAY

To give a good start-off to the great campaign for making Ontario "dry," the famous evangelist Billy Sunday was invited to deliver his "booze" sermons in Toronto. The Arena was hired for the occasion and was twice packed to capacity. The crowds were estimated at eighteen thousand, "Billy" got a most enthusiastic reception, roused his audiences to a great pitch of fervour by his dramatic and startling denunciations of the drink

"America's greatest asset." It is inbeen obtained through his revival campaigns. Some two hundred and fifty thousand persons have been converted, it is estimated. Says the 'Sunday School Times":-

"The most notable series of conquests in Billy Sunday's career has probably begun. Syracuse, Tren-ton, Baltimore, Louisville, Grand Rapids are expecting great revivals in the coming twelve months through Billy Sunday. London, Rio de Janeiro, and Buenos Ayres, Honolulu, in addition to many American cities, are sending urgent calls to the evangelist."

#### WHY HE WANTED PROOF

N a hotel recently a travelling salesman said, "Billy Sunday is a grafter—that is all." A man step-ped up to him and said, "What is that?" The travelling man repeated the statement

"Can you prove that?" was the next question. "Why," said the ravelling man, "everybody knows it." "Well," said the other, "that may be true. I will give you \$5,000 to prove it, however."

"Who are you?" asked the travel ling man, "one of Sunday's kind?" "No," was the reply, "I am a sales-man for a brewery. Billy Sunday is doing our business great harm, and my people will gladly give \$5,000 to show him up if he's a grafter, and to stop the harm he is doing our business."

#### WILL IT BE SO?

MERICA is the great laboratory A of God for the solution of the problem of race (says Robert E. Speer). Experiments have been made elsewhere. The Balkan States are a great medley of races and there for hundreds of years under the rule of Mohammedanism, with its boast-ed power to unify men, these races have jarred and struggled and in our own time, though freed from Mohammedanism, they have been the powder magazine of Europe.

India has been for centuries a great maelstrom of racial intermix-ture, but her history has been the story of race conflict and strife, only stilled by the imposition of peace by

another and an alien race. Nowhere have races been melted Nowhere have races been metter together on such a scale and with such a mingling of diverse elements as here. Can God work out among, us the solution of the problem which has been unsolved elsewhere, and unite all bloods in one nation and one Church?

THE HARDNESS OF WATER DO you realize how hard water is when a boat sails through it at full speed? Water passing at fifty miles an hour is not the limpid liquid we are accustomed to bathe in.

If you put your arm overboard from a hydroplane, running fifty miles an hour, and strike a wave crest, the probability is that you will break your arm or wrist, because at that speed water has not time to

give or even to change shape, and striking it is like striking so much metal. If a swordsman should enter one of the great hydraulic quarries, where where a stream of water, un-

der enormous head, is used to wash down hillsides, and attempt to cut into one of those streams, his sword would fly to pieces without being able to penetrate the water. The stream is like a bar of iron.

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.The Hon. Robert Bruce, Mar.

# NANCY DICKYBIRD "There Nivir Wur Such a Miracle!"

GREAT crowd followed Naney right up to the doors of the Citadel that rainy afternoon in Harpurhey; and many who had never been inside a place of worship for years now pressed in to see what would become of her.

Miraeles are just as popular now as they were in the days when the Saviour walked the earth; and wherever there is a likelihood of their being wrought, crowds are sure to assemble.

As Naney entered all eyes were upon her, and it would not at all have astonished some of the spectators if she had broken into a wild dance on the floor and theu violently assaulted the nearest Salvationist! In fact, that was "the fun' which many of the wastrels from the now closed public-houses had

Pressed in to see.

As to Nancy herself—her mind was in a whirl! The kind words spoken to her, the assurance that the Saviour was waiting to receive her, and the clear light in which she now saw herself, urged her to attempt a new life. Then the devil whispered to her that it was hopeless; she was too far down in sin ever to rise out of it: and, after all, she was not nearly so had as many of the women who frequented the prison she had just come out of!

She crouched, rather than sat, or a bench near the platform, with Soldfers round her shouting, "Hallelujah! He breaks the power of cancelled sin," for her encouragement, and the Ensign giving out the opening hynna."

The singing, with its wonderful note of absolute confidence in God and joyous realization of Salvation. swept over her soul like a gale from Paradise; and, then, as the Officer began to pray, she suddenly realized the immensity of her guilt and the almighty power of God to save her!

With an inarticulate ery, something between a prayer and a moan she rushed to the Penitent Form, and fell there; weeping and groan-

#### Many Knelt with Her

All her life long-in the Sunday School, at Church, and in prisonshe had heard about God and sin. but she had never realized till that moment what it all meant.

She had no words in which to make her meaning plain as she knelt, heating the hard wood of the Penitent Form with her rough hands, while the hot tears ran down her sin-stained face, but she was in the same mind as Job when he wrote of Ged:-

"I know that Thou canst do

everything.
"I have heard of Thee hy the hearing of the ear; but now mine eye

seeth Thee! ,
"Wherefore I abhor myself, and repent in dust and ashes."

There were many who knelt with her, and none shrank from her! The meeting was in an uproar, Soldiers praying, singing, and crying for joy, and sinners who began to tremble for themselves trying to force their way out. This was no "fun" for them-it only made them tremble!

Presently, a light shone in upon

XIII.—"WHEREFORE I ABHOR her feet "a new woman." All her old desires seemed to have slipt off her like a rotten garment-and how wonderful was the change which the wonderful was the change which the power of God wrought in those few minutes at The Salvation Army Penilent Form may be judged of from the fact that from that day to this, Nancy Dickybird, whose whole nature was soaked in gin when she was converted, has never tasted a drop of intoxicating liquor of any kind! More than that, she abso-lutely loathes the drink! She passes in and out of public-houses selling 'War Crys," but drink is no temptation to her-she hates it so much

That Sunday afternoon she passed from death unto life, and rose from her knees smiling and happy - the victory won!! She sat out the meeting wondering at herself—and yet quite at rest.
She was not very much concerned as to what was to become of her, for her heart was at peace. If she lived, it would be to God's glory and honour, and in order to be of some

humble service to the great Salva-

eldest son and near of the Fate Yarborough. Two britishes some him at this writing, but both with their regiments in Tastan Lord Redesdale can hold his Lord Redesdate can note in the high among the peers. When war broke out, he had five ton the all of them answered the call in Later, on, she found it could. In that humble, happy, Salvationist household they treated her as an all of them answered the call weldest, Major Clement Freeze Mitford, has fallen. Of the tensing four, two are in the army at two in the navy. honoured guest, quite unmindful of her rags. They gave her the best seat in the room, plenty of hot tea and nice things to eat, and then, two in the navy.

Major Viscount Crichton, even
to the King, was son and her els
Earl of Jirne, who died a skortis
ago. The viscount was unlit me
ly believed to be a prisoner is
many, hut it is now established
to be deed He left an interwhen they had all sung a little Army chorus by way of thanksgiving, the woman-warrior took her upstairs and tidied her up. She came downstairs with the stain of the streets removed from her face, her hair neatly brushed away from her forehe is dead, are sent an eightee old son, who now becomes an The Earldom of Aylesford also pass to a young boy. Capt Lord Guernscy, the son and he head, and wearing clothes found in the wardrobe to replace her rags.

Yet there was no mistaking Nancy Diekybird, and the mob greeted her with a howl of welcome as she stepped into The Army ring outside the Park Gates to give her first testimony as a converted woman in The Salvation Army.

It had been announced that, she would be present at the open-air, but many were incredulous "Naney Dickybird jined T' Army!

Nay, it's only another of her mad tricks; but we'll go and hear what



An Honoured Guest at the Officers' Quarters

tion Army to which she at once felt she's got to say-onyway," said the she owed so much. If she died, God would take her to Heaven; but of one thing she was quite certain, shwas not going back to her old life. She had done with it-once and for

#### Unmindful of Her Rags

It was a very happy afternoon in the Harpurhey Citadel, and the Sol-diers who were present felt their faith so much strengthened that nothing in the world mattered-except God and His blessed service!

"You must come with us to tea, and come again to the night meet-ing, Nancy," whispered Mrs. Walsh to the poor, ragged woman.

"Oh!" gasped Nancy, and would have begun a protest, only some-thing stemed to give way in her throat, and she could only look at the kindly face, framed in the blue bonnet, through a blinding mist of happy tears!

She-Naney Dickybird, the terror of the public-houses, shunned by every one with any claim to respec-tability, whose years had heen spent in prison or workhouse, was to be taken home and made much of! Could the Love of God, as shown Nancy—the great, broad, shining Could the Love of God, as sho light of Salvation—and she rose to in His servants, go any further?

ped into the ring, and every eye was upon her. The Salvationists prayed for her; she knew they were doi that, and it helped her, for she felt strangely nervous in this new character. And vet, as soon as she began to speak, she gathered strength and all round the ring the listeners realired that this was a new Nancy -full of the old fire and wit, but,

Ohl so changed. "Eh! there's hope for me, if Nancy Dickybird can be changed like that!" said many an old pal, and since then not a few have fol-

lowed her into The Army.
Of course there were some who still doubted, and others went straight into the pubs to talk it over -so that before nightfall it was all

And that night, while Salvation-ists rejoiced, many publicans went to bed with easier minds—thinking of the future safety of their windows! — and policemen on their beats smiled to think that they (To be continued)

over Harpurhey that Nancy Dicky-bird had "jined T' Army."

would not encounter Nancy Dicky

lesley, Forester, Autrobus, Ma ald—these are names that are in

unbelievers First Open-Air Testimony There was a hush when she sten-

woven with all the poetry and mance and history of the Bis people, and this is the com tage of all who speak the End Save for a mark on coller shoulder, there is no difference the trenches between the fara ourer, the miner, the iron-se and the peer. In mud and colla the constant presence of death's these unswerving soldiers of trenches, not for their barren of

that Brnoke wrote:-"And nobleness walks in our F again.

And we have come into our tage!"
—Munsey's Magazin Captain Ashby, our Chaplain

eral good and original ideas a

how our work amongst the im may be more effective. The Cap is a live wire all right, and his is in his work. He is doing we this suit you? Hurrah for Canada London, where he is des popular.

The International "War Cry" Contest

### A Bostonian Hopes Canada East Wins

HERE is a letter from a Boston-tive of his practical interest in the Competition:-

"Enclosed please find one dollar for which kindly send me ten Christ-mas 'War Crys,' and more if you can do so, for I have got orders for more than that number. I received niy copy yesterday. The Canadian Christmas 'War Cry' will, as usual, take front rank, and I am helping Canada East to beat us, although I ani now an American. I hope you

It doesn't take some of our smart Field Officers long to see a good thing when it is put up to them. A day or two ago we sent out a letter to certain comrades, pointing out to them the advantages that they and The Army would gain through a wide circulation of the Christmas "Cry." In some quarters the effect was instantaneous. They are the people whose business acumen is strongly developed; they would make good managers of departmental stores, Government departments, or anything in which sound, snap judgment and great adminis-trative capacity are required. En-sign R. E. Clark is one of them. He says:-

"Last year Barrie took 500 conies." and that is the number we ordered this year. But your letter has had your desired effect, and we have pleasure in asking you to send us another 500. If this does not satisfy the Editorial Staff, write again, I have no hesitancy in saying that 'The Cry' is a splendid one, and bespeaks for this year's number a wide circulation.

We shall certainly write again, if only to receive another such gracious letter in reply.

Here is what Adjutant Jordan, of Orillia, says:-"Last year our Corps took 600 copies of the Christmas 'Cry.' I

ordered so far 650 this year. You stated in your letter that we did not make any increase on last year. But we have to the number of 50. Seeing that you made a mistake, you may send us 350 more, making the order up to 1,000 copies."

Adjutant, dear, we made a mistake; you are right, and we are wrong, and we are so abjectly apolo-getic that we have, metaphorically speaking, rubbed our proboscides in the dust. Your increase has, however, healed the hurt you made.

Here is a sweet little epistle from Captain Hillier, of the Bay of Islands, Nfld.:-

"Christmas 'War Crys' received. They are certainly fine, and those who have seen them are charmed with the contents of the same. Will you kindly forward to me 50 more. Wishing you every success in the

Here is a post-card from nearer home, from Captain T. H. Leech, of Lisgar Street (Toronto) Corps:— "Your masterpiece to hand. I have doubled my order, making it 1,000 copies, instead of 500. How does

It's first-rate! Just the sort of thing that will put the Canada East Territory where she ought to be. tinent.

EASTERN CANADIANS, LISTEN TO THIS: "OUR GOOD CANADIAN COMRADES HAVE DARED TO CHALLENGE US TO A TRIAL OF STRENGTH AND ZEAL IN THIS MATTER."-From a New York "War Cry" Editorial.

OH, BOYS! AIN'T WE A DARING LOT, AND AIN'T IT EASY TO BE DARING! WHY, WE WERE DARING AND DIDN'T KNOW IT! LET'S DARE SOME MORE, AND THOSE WHO HAVEN'T INCREASED ON LAST YEAR DO SO AT ONCE. LET'S SHOW "OUR GOOD AMERICAN COMRADES" WHAT WE CAN DO WHEN WE START DARING. EVERY CORPS, "GREATLY DARE -AND THEN SOME!"

Cantain Moon will come up to the

Then there is Orangeville, with

an order of 800 copies. A drop of

200 conies, it is true, but a magnifi-

cent number for the size of the

place. Why is it that Orangeville

can order 800, whilst Lippincott has to reduce from 1,000 to 300? What

happened to Lippincott district last

year?
Why it is that out of nine Toronto Corps, six should be only taking

the same number as last year. Are

they "too proud to contest" with the

Eastern States of America? Is am-

AN ANALYTICAL PROBE

An analysis of the Toronto Divi-

sion shows that nine Corps took the

same number of "Crys" as last year;

five increased, and eight decreased!

We "ain't sayin' nuffink!" except this, that the Toronto Division

averages 600 copies per Corps, whilst the Montreal Division averages 736

copies per Corps, and Hamilton

But look at here. An analysis of

Brigadier Rawling's Division (Lon-

don) shows that seven Corps took

the same as last year, two decreased

and SEVENTEEN INCREASED!

salute you! But may we also say that not withstanding the magnifi-

cent rise of 40 per cent, on last year's

sales, the average per Corps is 513.

The lowest average per Corps is in

St. John Division-490 per Corps.

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Lieut.-Colonel Chandler on the analysis of his Division (Hamilton).

which shows that twelve Corps in-

creased, two decreased, whilst eleven

Halifax Division has also a noble

St. John Division shows two down,

ten ups, and ten evens. Not at all

bad, but there is room up-ward, Major Barr. Thou hast a great soul;

thou art of that of which noble

patriots are made. Inspire the lag-gard souls of those content with

last year's achivements, and get the

Montreal has thirteen evens, nine

ups, aild five downs. If Brigadier Rawling sent up the Christmas "Cry" circulation in his last Divi-

sion with the same success that he

has in his new command, we think

Brigadier Morehen and his fine

band of Officers are to be congratu-

lated on the present position of the Montreal Division. It is a fact that

this Division has the highest aver-

age per Corps of any Division in

this Territory-736 copies. Adju-tant Kendall! Just a word: Is Ad-

jutant Hurd to be the sole aspirant

for the 5,000 notch?

ten even ones to mount up.

Whoop up the noble

record: fourteen ups, two downs, and four evens. Bravo, Major

were the same as last year.

Crichton!

We also heartily congratulate

Some leadership, that! John, we

Division 706 copies per Corps.

bition dead in the Queen City?

level of his famous predecessor-

Captain Hancock.

THINGS WE SHOULD LIKE TO KNOW

Can anyone tell why little Bramp-ton sells 350 Christmas "Crys"—25 copies more than the great Riverconses more than the great River-dale Corps; or why it is that Aurora can double its order and sell 500 Christmas "Crys," while Riverdale— notwithstanding the Canadian-Americau Contest—takes the same number (325) it did last year? Why?

Why is it that Bowmanville (Captain Luxton and Lieutenant Stone) and Fenelou Falls (Captain Sand-ford and Lieutenant Kirhyson) should each reduce their order by two hundred?

But it is strange that the little Newmarket Corps should order 450 Christmas "Crys," while Oshawa orders only 300.

It is true that Lindsay has drop-ped 500! Still, its order is 1,000. Mighty good. We have faith that



This stack of "War Crys" shows the relative heights of 5,000 Christ-mas "Crys" and Adjutant Hurd, of Halifax II. In a letter to the Publisher he says:-

"Aim at the moon if you would strike a star: so we are going to aim at the moon by setting our tar-

get at 5,000 copies."
We shall be surprised if Adju-tant Hurd and his hustlers don't "hit the moon." Energy and "hoss sense" will accomplish al-most anything. Keep your eye on Hurd the Hustler! If he sells 5,000 Christmas "Crys" we think that he will be the greatest "War Cry" seller that has ever boomed Christmas "Crys" on the American conPercentages of Increase over last year up to Wednesday, Dec. 1st:-

Per Cent. London Div. (Brig. Rawling)...40 Hamilton (Lt.-Col. Chandler)...28 Halifax (Major Crichton).......20 St. John (Major Barr).....111-3 Nfld. (Lieut.-Col. Otway)...... 91-2 

THIS SHOWS WHAT'S DOING

-Canada West-

Per Cent.

Alberta Div. (Major Hay)......33 Sask, (Major Coombs)......16 Pacific (Brigadier McLean)....14 Manitoba (Brig. Taylor)....... 5



JACK CANUCK: Gee whiz. Uncle Sam, you're no Goliath! It. lenge YOU!

The above drawing indicates the respective proportions of "The War Cry" circulation in Eastern Canada. and Eastern America. It will be noticed that the difference is not sufficient to appall Canucks. In fact, quite a number of our Corps are not turning a hair nor increasing their Crys," and still hope to win the International Contest. We admit this is not natriotic nor good business on their part. Still, we can't help hut wonder what the following quotations (taken from the latest New York "Cry" to hand) mean:-

"Our good Canadian comrades / have DARED to challenge us to a trial of strength and zeal in this matter."-Editorial.

"Up to date we have not lost any sleep worrying over the possible result of the fight. A comrade said something to us about "taking a stick of eandy from a baby,' but weare not going to lie back on our swivel chair and take it easy by any means. Our folks can be quite sat-isfied that this 'defi' has not been sent on without mature thought and deep-laid plans on the other side for a big battle. They know perfectly well they have 'TAKEN ON' SOMETHING BIG, and you can rest assured that they have made preparations accordingly. If we fail grasp the situation, or, realizing it, make no preparations to meet it, defeat will be our portion. Miss Columbia does not relish anything with that kind of a flavour!"—"War

Eastern Canucks note: "Dared tochallenge.

Cry" Competition Notes.

They have "taken on" something

"Taking a stick of candy from a by." Will you stand for that?

It seems to us that there are nine Corps in the Toronto Division, serven in the London Division, there in the Hamilton Division, thireen in the Hamilton Division, thireen the St. John Division, and four in the Halifax Division, who have not thought it worth their while to take part in the Contest. Did you think it would be "taking a sitch of candy from a baby," and that the Mericke of the Well, let wit the Well with the American Eastwears stars and stripes. Well, let us tell you that the American East-eners may take your complaisance for an attack of cold feet. So let the fitty-five Corps in the Divisions who have not yet done "their bit." The up and may at a standard. rise up and get at it and send in an increase to hegin with of a hundred extra copies per Corps, and we think Uncle Sam would realize his right proportions at the beginning of 1916. ASK YOURSELF THIS QUESTION: "HAVE I DONE ANYTHING TO SECURE VICTORY FOR CANADA?"

Then there are the Cadets! And the Training College Division. Shall the glorious ensign of the Dominion be hauled down by the victory of those contesting under the stars and stripes?. Never!

SEND IN YOUR INCREASES

#### ARMY SONGS

ALL MY LIFE

Tunes.—Anything for Jesus, 206; Song Book, 447. Jesus, precious Saviour, Thou hast

saved my soul, From sin's foul corruption made me fully whole; Every hour I'll serve Thee, whate'er

may befall, Till in Heaven I crown Thee King and Lord of all.

Chorus All my heart I give Thee, Day by day, come what may; All my life I give Thee, Dying men to save.

From the lowly manger I will follow In the desert and the strife near

Thee I will be: E'en the sufferings of the cross I will gladly bear If with Thee in Heaven I a-crown

may wear.

JESUS, I LOVE THY NAME Jesus, I love Thy charming name,

Tis music to my ear;
Fain would I sound it out so loud
That earth and Heaven should

Yes, Thou art precious to my soul, My Transport and my Trust; Jewels to Thee are gaudy toys, And gold is sordid dust.

Thy grace still dwells within my heart,
And sheds its fragrance there;
The noblest halm of all its wounds,
The cordial of its care.

#### SAVED FROM SIN

Down at the Cross where my Saviour died, Down, where for cleansing from sin I cried; There to my heart was the Blood applied, Glory to His name!

I am so wondrously saved from sint Jesus does always abide within; There at the Cross, where He took me in

Glory to His name!

Oh, precious Fountain that saves from sin!

I am so glad I have entered in; There Jesus saves me and keeps me Glory to His name!

#### ROCK OF AGES

Tunes.-Wells, 91; Spanish chant, 90; Song Book, 173.

Rock of Ages, cleft for me. Let the hide myself in Thee, Let the water and the blood From Thy wounded side which flowed.

Be of sin the double eure, Save from wrath, and make me pure.

While I draw this fleeting breath, When my eyes shall close in death, When I rise to worlds unknown, See Thee on Thy Judgment Throne. Rock of Ages, cleft for me, I will hide myself in Thec.

#### TAKE MY HEART!

O Jesus, Saviour, Christ Divine, When shall I know and feel Thee mine.

Without a doubt of fear? With anxious, longing thirst I come To beg Thee make my heart Thy honte,

And keep me holy here.

I can, I do just now believe, I do the Heavenly grace receive.

The Spirit makes me clean;
Christ take the whole of my poor heart. No chains shall ever from me part My Lord, Who reigns supreme.

#### INSPIRE MY LIFE!

Tunes.-Come, comrades, dear, 136; He lives, 138; Song Book, 361. Come, Jesus, Lord, with holy fire. Come, and my quickened heart in-

spire. Spire,
Cleansed in Thy precious blood;
Now to my soul Thyself reveal,
Thy mighty working let me feel,
Since I am born of God.

My will be swallowed up in Thee, Light in Thy light still may I see, In Thine unclouded face; Called the full strength of trust to

prove,
Let all my quickened heart be love,
My spotless life be praise.

#### ROOM FOR JESUS

Have you any room for Jesus-He whn bore your load of sin? As He knocks and asks admission, Sinner, will you let Him in?

Chorus Room for Jesus, King of Glory!

Room for pleasure, room for business; But for Christ the Crucified-

Not a place that He can enter. In the heart for which He died!

Room and time now give to Jesus; Soon will pass God's day of grace; Soon your heart be cold and silent,

#### And your Saviour's pleading cease. EXCHANGE

Ensign William Black, 129 High Street, Pottstown, Pa. (U.S.A.), wishes to exchange an American for a Canadian "Cry." Anyone wishing to exchange please communicate direct with the Ensign.

## COMING EVENTS

COMMR. RICHARDS

Midland.—Dec. 11-12, Orillia.—Dec. 13. Barrie.—Dec. 14. Collingwood,-Dec. 15. Chester.-Dec. 19. Temple.—Christmas Morning. Temple.—Watchnight Service.

Toronto.-Jan. 9. (Young People's Hamilton .-- Jan. 16. (Young People's Day.)

Peterboro. —January 23. (Youog People's Day.)
Toronto.—Jan. 30. (Bandsmen's Sunday.)

#### COLONEL GASKIN

Bermuda,-Feb. 6-13.

Temple.-Dec. 12. Temple.—Dec. 13. (Young People's Christmas Entertainment.) Lippincott St.—Dec. 16. (Young People's Xmas Entertainment.)
Toronto.—Jan. 9. (Young People's

Day.) Hamilton.-Jan. 16. (Young People's

Day.) Peterboro. - January 23. (Young People's Day.) Ottawa I.-Feb. 13.

COLONEL and MRS. JACOBS-Mimico, Christmas Morning; In-dustrial Corps, Christmas After-noon; Thornhill, New Year's Day.

LIEUT.-COL, HARGRAVE-Midlaud. Dec.11-12; Orillia. Dec. 13; Barrie, Dec. 14; Collingwood, Dec. 15; Chester, Dec. 19.

LIEUT.-COL. and MRS. CHAN-DLER—Midland, Dec. 11-12; Orillia, Dec. 13; Barrie, Dec. 14; Collingwood, Dec. 15; Fever-sham, Dec. 16; Hamilton I, Dec. 25; Hamilton 3, Jan. 2-4; Hamil-ton (Young People's Day, Jan. 16.

LIEUT.-COL, and MRS. OTWAY IEUT-COL, and MRS. OTWAY

-Dildo, Dec. 11-13 (Officers, 3 p.
m; Public, 8 p.m.); Bell Island,
Dec. 18-19; Long Pond, Dec. 21;
St. John's Headquarters (Distribution of Xmas Parcels); St.
John's 1, Dec. 25; St. John's 2,
Dec. 26 Dec. 26.

LIEUT.-COLONEL SM —Temple, Dec. 12; SMEETON Chester.

BRIG. MORRIS-Midland, Dec. 11-12: Orillia, Dec. 13; Barrie, Dec. 14: Collingwood, Dec. 15; Chester, Dec. 19; Ottawa 1, Jan. 23.

BRIG. MILLER-Earlscourt, Dec. 12: West Toronto, Dec. 19. BRIG ADBY-Parliament Strect

(Local Officers' Council), Dec. 1; Uxbridge, Dec. 3; Lindsday, Dec. 4-5; Fenelon Falls, Dec. 6; Tem-ple, Dec. 12; Lippincott, Dec. 16.

BRIG, BETTRIDGE-Hamilton 1, RIG. BETTRIDGE—Hamilton J. Dec. 13: Dundas, Dec. 14: Hamilton J. Dec. 13: Chester, Dec. 19: Temple, Xmas Morning: Ligar St., Jan. 1-2: Earlscourt, Jan. 3: Wychwood, Jan. 4: Toronto, Young People's Day, Jan. 9: Lippincott St., Jan. Day, Jan. 13: Hamilton, Young People's Day, Jan. 16: Peterbro, Young People's Day, Jan. 16: Peterbro, Young People's Day, Jan. 16: Peterbro, Young People's Day, Jan. 23.

BRIG. and MRS. GREEN-Whit-by, Dec. 12.

BRIG. and MRS. BELL-Chester, Dec. 19.

Dec. 19.

BRIG. RAWLING (accompanied by Staff-Captain White)—Sarnia, Dec. 11-12; Ingersoil, Dec. 16; Woodstock, Dec. 18-19; Wallaceburg, Dec. 21; Dresden, Dec. 22; Chatham, Dec. 23; Tilsonburg, Dec. 29; London 1, Dec. 31; Windsor, Jan. 1-2.

BRIG. and MRS. MOREHEN-Montreal 6, Dec. 12,

MAJ. McGILLIVRAY-Peter Dec. 13-14; Kingston, Dec. 15-16; Montreal 1, Dec. 17-19; Ottawa 3, Dec. 20; Ottawa 1, Dec. 21;

Dec. 11, 1988

MAJOR and MRS. McAMMOND Bowmanville, Dec. 18-19.

MAJOR WALTON-Montreal 4

Staff-Captain Burrows-Hamiton 1, Dec. 5, 11-12; Hamiton 3, Dec 13; Dundas, Dec. 14; Hamiton 2, Dec. 15; Guelph, Dec. 18-19; Hamilton 1, Dec. 25; Hamiton 3, Jan. 4; Hamiton (Young Peoples Day), Jan. 16.

Staff-Captain Vallance-Brockville, THE STAFF SONGSTERS

(Lieut.-Colonel Smeeton, Leader; Major Arnold, Conductor. Temple, Dec. 12; Chester, Dec. 19. WE ARE

## Looking for You

We will search for musing forum; in any part of the globs, befriend and, or or of positis, used awayen in disputally. Address: 100 RE. Address: 100 RE. Termin, part of the ground Street West, Termin, marked [Luysley] on conscipt.

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Officers, Soldiers, and Friends are requested to
assist us by looking regularly through the Minne Column, and to notify Colonel Jacobs if able to the
information concerning any case, always stating
name and number of tame.

WAGNER, WILLIAM, 17082. Born the 21st of November, 1872; married; a Gorman, of Neu-Ulm (Germany); a merchant by trade. Has been missing

merchant by trace. Man been missing since the 25th November, 1911.

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About 40 years of age, light completion, where 12th 1952.

salo, Father tair, bude eyes.

SALO, YRJO, 14256. Fair, medjum height, single, laborer, age "Fi sour la Helsingtors, Finland. Has bren missing since October, 1907, Does met smoke is a total abstainer. About two years ago left Fort William, Ont., for Fert Frances district.

Frences dutter vision. Onl. for Fort Ber BALDING, PEANX, 1971, Jee Eag-land in 1912, and came to Canada in 1912, and came to Canada in Arty Onl. Also worked at Jeris for a Mr. Jos. Scott. It is said that he is a laid anxion for news.

JOHNSON, BERTT, 19721. Canadia, 1978, 1978, 1979, 197

"G. D. G." 16797. If "G. D. G." who left New Liskeard (New Ontario Sept. 21st, will write bome he will not be asked to come home. Parents anxious to hear from him.

to hear from him, SLATTER, MRS. JANE, 19592. Mar-ried, age 29, height 5 ft. 1 in.; has light brown hair, blue eyes, and a fair com-plexion. Last heard of two years ago, when she was employed as a wallers in some hotel in Montreal, Que. Mother

enquires.

FARR, ARTHUR ALFRED, 1989.

Single, age 24, height 5 ft. 7 in, very
dark hair, hown peys, and a dark complexion. When last heard from, two
years ago, he was working on a farm
and his address was P, O, Artell, OA,
Father in England in falling health.

Father in England in failing health.

HASSETT CHARLES, Age about 7

year; son of William Joseph Busett

not an Harrist Basett of Tromto, One

Harrist Basett of Tromto, One

No definite information has since been

received of him, but he is supposed to

have lived in Toran, and at one time is

tilled to share in his late sister's estale

and information is required by the

executor of her estate.

executor of her estate.

CLOUGH, BERTRAM H., 10713. Some few years ago came to Canada from Old Country and obtained work on farm in Lake Simoso district. Two years pulse worked for a Mr. Condon state of the country o

MICHALDEN, EMIL, 1977. Nevet-lan, born Nov. 25, 1815; medium they a lan born Nov. 25, 1815; medium they a near Codars, 700, Quebec. Land Band near Codars, 700, Quebec. Land Band near Codars, 700, Quebec. Land Band per Codars, 700, Quebec. Land Band staylar, in the woods and vicepite staylar, in the woods and vicepite staylar, in the woods and vicepite staylar, and the woods and vicepite mother (a widow) anxious for news. BROWN, JAMES REUBEN, 1815, Newfoundland; age 27, height about for the staylar of the period of the Newfoundland; age 27, height about for the staylar of the period of the lay, August, 1913, working in the Bay, August, 1913, working in the lay and the staylar of the period to her-lang from him issat. Information than-